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FORTY-THIRD

Annual Report of the High Secretary-Treasurer

OF THE

Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters

TO THE HIGH COURT

May Twenty-fourth, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-two

REPORT OF THE HIGH SECRETARY-TREASURER

For the Year Ending December 31, 1921

Representatives to the High Court:

In accordance with the provisions of Article VII, Section 6, of the High Court Constitution, I take pleasure in presenting for your consideration a statement of the condition of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters and a review of its accomplished work for the year ending December 31, 1921:

FINANCIAL CONDITION

Ledger Assets December 31, 1920		$1,410,271 29
Income during the year:		
Mortuary Assessments	$679,877 54	
Emergency Assessments	107,086 25	
Per Capita Tax	39,206 15	
Medical Fees	873 75	
Interest Account	63,409 03	
All other sources:		
Supplies	2,490 56	
Bonds of Financial Officers	845 00	
M. C. O. F. Heralds	345 85	
Profit on Bonds matured	335 38	
Taxes and Insurance, 24 Rossester St., Dorchester	276 16	
Total income		894,745 67
Total income with balance		$2,305,016 96

DISBURSEMENTS

Mortuary Benefits Paid	$539,792 86	
General Fund Expenses	38,962 50	
Emergency Fund Expenses	259 87	
Total disbursements		579,015 23
Balance December 31, 1921		$1,726,001 73

LEDGER ASSETS

Mortgages on Real Estate	$330,393 32
Municipal, State and Government Bonds, cost price	1,022,391 37
Old Colony Trust Company	135,925 56
Second National Bank	52,173 10
Exchange Trust Company	51,352 77
Hub Trust Company	13,941 93
Commercial Trust Company, Springfield	22,697 66
Federal Trust Company	27,316 78
Merchants National Bank, Worcester	20,725 96
Citizens National Bank	10,397 39
Essex National Bank, Haverhill	3,633 17
Prudential Trust Company	3,086 47
Union Institution for Savings	878 27
South Boston Trust Company	106 80
New England Trust Company	15,418 29
Fourth Atlantic National Bank	15,480 01
In office	82 88
Total Ledger Assets	$1,726,001 73

The Ledger Assets are divided as follows:

Emergency Fund	$1,520,643 21
Mortuary Fund	188,361 43
General Fund	16,997 09
	$1,726,001 73

Non-Ledger Assets:

Interest due and accrued on mortgages	$5,703 40
Interest due and accrued on bonds	10,548 45
Market value of bonds over book value	23,898 63
Assessments collected but not yet transmitted	51,651 00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,700 00
Supplies	950 00
Bills Receivable	851 48
Gross Assets	$1,822,304 69

LIABILITIES

Mortuary Claims	$48,000 00	
Expense Account	1,627 90	
Total Liabilities		49,627 90
		$1,772,676 79

The balance in the Mortuary Fund December 31, 1920 was	$141,349 98
The number of Mortuary Assessments during the year was twelve, and the amount collected was	679,877 54
The interest on the daily balances amounted to	6,926 77
	$828,154 29
The total payments from the Mortuary Fund were	539,792 86
	$288,361 43
Transferred to Emergency Fund	100,000 00
Balance in Mortuary Fund, December 31, 1921	$188,361 43

The Mortuary Benefits due December 31, 1920, forty and the parts of six others	$42,792 86
The Mortuary Benefits becoming due in 1921, resulting in 545 deaths	545,000 00
	$587,792 86
The total Mortuary Payments during the year were	539,792 86
The Mortuary Benefits due December 31, 1921, were forty-seven and the parts of three others	$48,000 00

DEATHS

The number of deaths that occurred during the year was 545 as against 544 in 1920; 537 in 1919; 838 in 1918, 538 in 1917; 531 in 1916; 458 in 1915; 447 in 1914; 408 in

1913; 370 in 1912; 375 in 1911; 333 in 1910; 304 in 1909; 261 in 1908; and 277 in 1907.

The death rate per thousand on the average membership in 1921 was 10.39, as against 10.63 in 1920; 10.13 in 1919; 19.4 in 1918; 12 in 1917; 12 in 1916; 11.0 in 1915; 11.2 in 1914; 10.73 in 1913; 10.33 in 1912; 11.1 in 1911; 10.63 in 1910; 10.45 in 1909; 9.63 in 1908; and 10.88 in 1907.

Three hundred seventy men and one hundred seventy-five women died during the year.

The average length of membership of members who died in 1921 was nineteen years; the average age at death was fifty-four years, eight months, ten days.

The total amount paid in Death Claims from the date of organization to January 1, 1922, was $9,217,348.02.

MEMBERSHIP

The number of members in the Order December 31, 1920, was 51,146.

The number of members initiated during the year 1921 was 2743. Total 53,889.

The losses during the year were: deaths 545; withdrawals, etc., 919; total, 1464.

Total membership December 31, 1921, 52,425; divided as follows: men 29,551; women 22,874.

The number of applications received during the year was 3142, and of this number 2782 were approved.

The average age of applicants admitted during the year 1921 was 29.5 years.

The average age of applicants rejected during the year 1921 was 32 years.

The number of women admitted during the year was 1426.

The number of men admitted during the year was 1317.

The following facts relative to our Order's progress will be found to contain much valuable and interesting information and constitutes a ready reference as to its growth from year to year.

STATISTICS OF THE ORDER FROM 1887 TO 1921

Year.	Membership at Close of Year.	Net Gain During Year.	Mortuary Benefit Paid.	Increase in Emergency Fund.	Management Expenses	Number of Mortuary Assessments*
1887	3,180	600	$33,784 20		$3,315 75	10
1888	3,644	464	45,000 00		3,370 99	11
1889	4,270	626	57,839 00	$2,056 49	4,673 52	12
1890	4,556	286	54,000 00	2,392 31	4,166 87	12
1891	4,777	221	52,000 00	2,355 70	5,257 44	9
1892	5,572	795	59,000 00	3,325 79	5,677 21	10
1893	6,548	976	76,000 00	4,022 25	6,338 06	11
1894	7,186	638	48,000 00	4,346 12	7,120 47	10
1895	8,504	1,318	99,000 00	5,169 28	8,765 21	10
1896	10,067	1,563	93,250 70	6,950 22	11,988 05	9
1897	11,476	1,409	98,000 00	6,988 70	12,375 03	8
1898	12,876	1,400	131,000 00	19,096 57	11,786 38	9
1899	13,839	963	125,859 26	2,564 39	13,295 23	8
1900	14,943	1,104	151,732 12	17,616 27	14,288 52	10
1901	16,296	1,353	173,250 00	12,268 34	14,123 28	10
1902	17,789	1,493	160,708 34	13,569 86	15,394 53	9
1903	19,634	1,845	160,866 66	15,215 20	18,837 52	8
1904	20,938	1,304	220,716 68	16,279 71	16,436 57	9
1905	22,812	1,874	225,916 67	19,795 52	18,467 86	9
1906	24,445	1,633	221,111 06	32,298 81	20,510 98	9
1907	26,458	2,013	270,493 93	36,467 24	21,565 15	9
1908	27,757	1,299	267,909 30	38,645 48	22,981 60	10
1909	29,849	2,092	294,419 92	42,202 13	22,632 92	10
1910	31,886	2,037	328,107 41	46,517 76	23,921 84	10
1911	33,683	1,797	362,659 55	49,408 37	24,040 99	10
1912	35,817	2,134	375,126 19	60,004 26	23,538 51	10
1913	38,201	2,384	402,157 14	63,755 47	23,672 66	10
1914	39,856	1,655	444,384 84	108,820 72	24,253 72	10
1915	41,450	1,594	464,282 15	120,857 28	24,845 63	10
1916	42,936	1,486	510,024 68	128,906 48	24,880 94	11
1917	43,435	499	543,188 08	135,251 72	24,866 96	11
1918	43,073		682,169 10	75,051 62	29,447 85	12
1919	47,136	3,663	692,117 14	13,891 25	37,463 52	12
1920	51,132	3,996	550,607 14	151,142 25	52,884 38	12
1921	52,425	1,293	539,792 86	263,524 09	38,962 50	12

* The present graded plan of assessment to the Mortuary Fund was adopted at the Annual Session of the High Court in April, 1884, and went into operation June 1, 1884. Six assessments were issued in that year. Thirteen in 1885 and 1886. The total number of assessments levied to January 1 1922, was 384, covering a period of 451 months.

From 1885 to 1895, inclusive, the number of assessments was 121, covering a period of eleven years, or an average each year of eleven. From 1896 to 1921, inclusive, the number of assessments was 257, covering a period of twenty-four years, or an average each year of 10.7.

SCHEDULE OF MEMBERSHIP, AMOUNT OF INSURANCE, NUMBER OF DEATHS AND LOSSES INCURRED AT ATTAINED AGE

Attained Age	Number of Members Dec. 31, 1921	Amount of Insurance	Number of Deaths Reported During Year	Death Losses Reported During Year
18	154	$154,000 00	1	$1,000
19	370	370,000 00		
20	467	467,000 00	2	2,000
21	540	540,000 00		
22	638	638,000 00	2	2,000
23	766	766,000 00		
24	852	852,000 00	3	3,000
25	982	982,000 00		
26	969	969,000 00	2	2,000
27	1,003	1,003,000 00	7	7,000
28	1,111	1,111,000 00	2	2,000
29	1,141	1,141,000 00	6	6,000
30	1,220	1,220,000 00	5	5,000
31	1,174	1,174,000 00	5	5,000
32	1,240	1,240,000 00	3	3,000
33	1,264	1,264,000 00	10	10,000
34	1,272	1,272,000 00	4	4,000
35	1,333	1,333,000 00	6	6,000
36	1,328	1,328,000 00	5	5,000
37	1,450	1,450,000 00	3	3,000
38	1,362	1,362,000 00	4	4,000
39	1,322	1,322,000 00	10	10,000
40	1,346	1,346,000 00	6	6,000
41	1,433	1,433,000 00	15	15,000
42	1,415	1,415,000 00	8	8,000
43	1,443	1,443,000 00	11	11,000
44	1,410	1,410,000 00	6	6,000
45	1,427	1,427,000 00	12	12,000
46	1,401	1,401,000 00	16	16,000
47	1,325	1,325,000 00	11	11,000
48	1,338	1,338,000 00	12	12,000
49	1,308	1,308,000 00	11	11,000
50	1,245	1,245,000 00	8	8,000
51	1,239	1,239,000 00	17	17,000
52	1,225	1,225,000 00	13	13,000
53	1,152	1,152,000 00	19	19,000
54	1,171	1,171,000 00	19	19,000
55	1,128	1,128,000 00	17	17,000
56	1,068	1,068,000 00	12	12,000
57	1,059	1,059,000 00	14	14,000
58	983	983,000 00	19	19,000
59	895	895,000 00	10	10,000
60	822	822,000 00	27	27,000
61	742	742,000 00	3	3,000
62	593	593,000 00	20	20,000
63	506	506,000 00	13	13,000
64	423	423,000 00	11	11,000
65	419	419,000 00	15	15,000
66	335	335,000 00	8	8,000
67	282	282,000 00	5	5,000
68	223	223,000 00	16	16,000
69	216	216,000 00	11	11,000
70	180	180,000 00	9	9,000
71	153	153,000 00	7	7,000
72	106	106,000 00	11	11,000
73	121	121,000 00	10	10,000
74	80	80,000 00	7	7,000
75	84	84,000 00	8	8,000
76	55	55,000 00	6	6,000
77	34	34,000 00	5	5,000
78	23	23,000 00	2	2,000

79	15	15,000 00	5	5,000
80	14	14,000 00	2	2,000
81	11	11,000 00	2	2,000
82	9	9,000 00	2	2,000
83	2	2,000 00	1	1,000
84	2	2,000 00		
85	2	2,000 00	3	3,000
and over	4	4,000 00		
Total	52,425	$52,425,000 00	545	$545,000

OUR GROWTH

Our gain in membership in 1921 was not as large as we have made in other years, nevertheless under a trying industrial situation we added by initiation the names of 2743 new members to our rolls. Our losses by death and withdrawals totaled 1464, making a net gain of 1279 members. This gain in membership was only accomplished by the constant and untiring efforts of the High Standing Committee and the splendid co-operation, generously given, by the officers and members of the Subordinate Courts.

The Order was again fortunate, during 1921, in having a normal death rate, which resulted in substantially increasing the Mortuary Fund balance at the close of the year.

OFFICERS

In previous reports the attention of the Officers of Subordinate Courts was called to the necessity of immediate transmission of official documents to the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer for record. I regret to say there are yet many Subordinate Court officers who are careless in this very important duty. This is particularly true of Quarterly Reports. In the latter part of 1921 eighty Courts did not comply with this Constitutional requirement.

ANNUAL REPORTS

The Annual Reports submitted by each Subordinate Court form the official record of the Court and should be prepared with the greatest care to insure accuracy.

Eight of these reports were returned when the Court had elected more Representatives to the Annual Session than their membership entitled them to at the time the elections were held; others were returned for the signature of officers, for the Court Seal to be affixed and other causes.

RECORDING SECRETARIES

The Recording Secretaries should realize the importance of immediately forwarding to the office of the High Secretary-Treasurer notices of initiations, suspensions, reinstatements, withdrawal cards, and changes in designation of beneficiaries. All of these documents are of the utmost importance for the completion of each member's record. I respectfully ask for the co-operation of the Recording Secretaries by promptly forwarding all documents that are to be recorded and filed at headquarters.

CERTIFICATES OF DEATH

Greater care should be taken in making out certificates of death. We were obliged to return a large number of these certificates during the year for correction. Common errors are to add or omit a middle initial; not giving the correct date of initiation and the age of the deceased at death; giving the initials and not the baptismal name of the beneficiary.

TRANSFER OF FUNDS

To meet an emergency as a result of the influenza epidemic of 1918, the High Standing Committee transferred from the Emergency Fund to the Mortuary Fund the sum of $197,484.29.

The result of a normal death rate, during the years 1920 and 1921 was an accumulated balance in the Mortuary Fund of a substantial amount, and the High Standing Committee, at the close of 1921, decided it could, with safety, transfer to the Emergency Fund a large portion of the amount taken from this account. In consequence of this decision they voted to transfer $100,000 from the Mortuary Fund to the Emergency Fund, which sum was deposited to the credit of the Trustees, December 31, 1921.

NEW COURTS

During the year 1921 the following new Courts were instituted:

Feb. 6, Rev. Anthony J. Rossi Court, No. 270, of Brighton, with 52 charter members.

Dec. 29, Daniel A. Cronin Court, No. 271, of Egleston Square district, with 25 charter members.

APPLICATIONS

Action is delayed on a large number of applications because the applicant does not answer the necessary questions contained in the application blank, or does not make a valid designation of beneficiary, or signs the application with the name he or she is known by, instead of signing his or her given or baptismal name, and in some cases because the applicant has been married by a Minister or Justice of the Peace. The High Standing Committee requires that the age of applicants must be verified. This also is the cause of action being delayed in approving applications. If the applicant cannot procure a copy of a birth record, or a baptismal record, or if married, a copy of his or her marriage intentions then any document containing the date of birth or the age of the applicant such as Naturalization papers, a discharge from the Army or Navy or passports, will be accepted. When such documents are furnished, to assure safe delivery, they will be returned to the applicant under registered mail.

GENERAL FUND

The expense account payments of 1921 are less than reported last year, and while they are in excess of expense payments of other years prior to 1920, it is because of the fact that there was no appreciable reduction in cost of travel and materials which are far in excess of prices asked previous to 1920.

HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE

The High Standing Committee has held forty-eight meetings during the year and in addition to their attendance at meetings, the Committee has individually and as a body made 480 visits to Subordinate Courts of the Order.

In directing the affairs of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters the High Standing Committee has earnestly endeavored to maintain the proud position made by our beloved Order, animated by the desire that the splendid results accomplished in the forty-three years of its existence shall be continued.

The wonderful success achieved by this great Catholic Fraternity is the result of the untiring labor and hearty co-operation given to the High Standing Committee by the officers and members of the Subordinate Courts. To perpetuate our proud record the same spirit of loyalty, devotion and self sacrifice must be given as generously in the future as it has been in the past.

Our High Chief Ranger will complete with this convention five years of active, energetic service as a member of the High Standing Committee. He has given his time and devoted his ability to advance the interests of the Order, and his efforts are worthy of our sincere appreciation.

Deeply grateful for the many courtesies shown me by the High Standing Committee, Deputy High Chief Rangers, officers and members of the Subordinate Courts and with the hope that I have in some measure merited the confidence you have reposed in me, this report is respectfully submitted.

JOSEPH J. FORRESTER,
High Secretary-Treasurer.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1922

	Emergency	Mortuary	General	D. Fund	Total
Balance Jan. 1, 1921	.....	$141,349.98	$11,802.19	.....	$153,152.17
Receipts:					
January	562.75	54,044.41	571.19	86.50	55,264.85
February	540.00	55,874.05	859.76	25.00	57,298.81
March	337.00	60,500.57	450.74	80.00	61,368.31
April	2,360.00	52,919.74	208.17	55.00	55,542.91
May	48,199.00	57,213.53	221.90	40.00	105,674.43
June	1,629.00	60,195.70	235.92	90.00	62,150.62
July	536.00	54,534.45	1,521.14	30.00	56,621.59
August	192.00	56,351.86	36,214.33	55.00	92,813.19
September	186.00	60,680.95	1,939.68	465.00	63,271.63
October	1,933.00	55,548.98	673.53	245.00	58,400.51
November	47,819.50	56,236.33	666.57	170.00	104,892.40
December	2,792.00	62,703.74	594.47	70.00	66,160.21
	$107,086.25	$828,154.29	$55,959.59	$1,411.50	$992,611.63
Payments:					
January	$562.75	$49,666.66	$2,995.03	$86.50	$53,310.94
February	540.00	44,216.67	2,288.59	25.00	47,070.26
March	337.00	43,404.75	1,579.96	80.00	45,401.71
April	2,360.00	39,500.00	2,692.02	55.00	44,607.02
May	48,199.00	44,768.26	3,542.99	40.00	96,550.25
June	1,629.00	45,031.74	737.04	40.00	47,437.78
July	536.00	39,879.78	1,208.56	80.00	41,704.34
August	192.00	46,800.00	7,585.58	.....	54,577.58
September	186.00	37,625.00	2,806.16	520.00	41,137.16
October	1,933.00	39,000.00	3,001.98	245.00	44,179.98
November	47,819.50	63,000.00	6,394.74	170.00	117,384.24
December	2,792.00	146,900.00	4,129.85	70.00	153,891.85
	$107,086.25	$639,792.86	$38,962.50	$1,411.50	$787,253.11
Balance, Jan. 1, 1922	.....	$188,361.43	$16,997.09	.....	$205,358.52
	$107,086.25	$828,154.29	$55,959.59	$1,411.50	$992,611.63

IN BANKS AND IN OFFICE

Exchange Trust Company	$51,352 77
Old Colony Trust Company	50,100 68
Commercial Trust Company, Springfield	22,697 66
Merchants National Bank, Worcester	20,725 96
Federal Trust Company	16,957 91
Fourth Atlantic National Bank	15,480 01
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Citizens National Bank	10,397 39
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	$205,358 52

THOS. F. KELLEY,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
JAMES A. DESMOND,
Finance Committee.

GENERAL FUND

Balance December 31, 1920 ..... $11,802 19

Receipts

Bonds	$845 00	
High Medical Fees	873 75	
Interest	396 09	
Per Capita Tax	39,206 15	
Supplies, Books, Regalia, etc	2,490 56	
M. C. O. F. Herald	345 85	
Total receipts		44,157 40
Total receipts with balance		$55,959 59

Expenditures

Annual Session of the High Court	$2,904 65	
Class Initiations	1,382 73	
Expenses of Deputies	1,382 19	
Miscellaneous	16,408 96	
New Courts	111 00	
Printing and binding	2,236 23	
Salaries	11,120 00	
Stationery and Postage	1,727 17	
Supplies	1,689 57	
Total payments		38,962 50
Balance December 31, 1921		$16,997 09

ANNUAL SESSION

Dinners and Suppers for Representatives	$1,377 00
High Standing Committee	421 71
Harrigan Press, printing	369 42
Symphony Hall	305 00
Past Chief Rangers' Association	200 00
A. R. Lopez, badges	87 52
Margaret C. Lysaght, stenographer	35 00
John M. Schell, printing	19 50
Washington Press, printing	10 00
John H. Emmons, doorkeeper	10 00
Ralph W. Evans, doorkeeper	10 00
Timothy J. Hurley, doorkeeper	10 00
James Rice, doorkeeper	10 00
William G. White, doorkeeper	10 00
John T. Daly, doorkeeper	10 00
George W. Boylen, Jr., doorkeeper	10 00
Boston Sign Company	9 50
	$2,904 65

CLASS INITIATIONS

Atlantic	$12 00
Boston	20 00
Brockton	22 00
Dorchester	10 00
East Boston	14 00
Everett	35 00
Hyde Park	13 00
Lynn	15 00
Malden	14 00
Melrose	9 87
Milton	32 00
Neponset	68 00
New Bedford	35 00
Peabody	45 00
Roxbury	95 00
South Boston	200 00
Somerville	10 00
Springfield	425 00
Walpole	22 00
West Newton	13 00
Worcester	272 86
	$1,382 73

TRAVELING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF DEPUTIES

James Barry, $3.81; Lena Barry, $1.56; Mary Barry, $3.50; Robert J. Black, $18.12; Mary P. Bligh, $28.05; Joseph H. Bonner, $2.90; Rose C. Brooks, $24.50; Bridie M. Burke, $10.00; Mary A. Burke, $7.98; James F. Burns, $5.80; Leo J. Burns, $3.00; J. E. Canty, $14.32; William P. Carlin, $1.40; Margaret Casey, $40.00; George Christoph, $8.00; Thomas F. Coakley, $4.75; Patrick F. Collins, $34.73; Walter W. Conlin, $43.99; Katherine M. Connors, $10.83; Theresa Connolly, $14.42; John S. Conaty, $16.50; Catherine Cronin, $3.54; Jeremiah Cronin, $8.00; Timothy J. Cronin, $1.80; Etta Cullebon, $4.00; John J. Cummings, $7.58; Joseph L. Daisy, $6.36; Frank W. Dawkins, $5.70; Margaret L. Delaney, $6.76; Mary E. Dillon, $3.60; Joseph J. Dobby, $37.00; Mary E. Donovan, $3.09; Michael P. Dorgan, $1.68; Agnes G. Downey, $18.75; William Doyle, $10.00; Joseph P. Drum, $10.00; Mary Dugan, $8.00; Bridget Farrell, $27.60; William E. Farrell,

$12.40; Catherine L. Feeney, $4.32; Mabel Fennessey, $2.50; Joseph A. Fialho, $6.24; Kathryn G. Fitzgerald, $14.44; Thomas M. Fitzpatrick, $3.50; Margaret L. Flanagan, $1.60; Catherine Flood, $7.80; John G. Flynn, $32.40; Richard E. Flynn, $7.60; Daniel A. Foley, $9.55; Katherine F. Galvin, $10.00; Amos Gates, $.70; Arthur S. Griffin, $4.00; James C. Hanrahan, $7.00; John Hayes, $9.90; Mary A. Higgins, $4.20; Ellen B. Harrigan, $10.00; John F. Howard, $6.00; Reginald L. Howard, $29.05; Harry Humphrey, $15.05; William F. Irwin, $1.60; John J. Keating, $5.53; Evelyn F. Kelleher, $24.00; Margaret J. Kelleher, $15.85; Mary E. Kelleher, $0.48; Edward L. Kelly, $2.40; Peter J. Kieran, $3.60; Annie M. C. King, $19.00; Arnold Kuntz, $17.48; Frank L. Larkin, $1.90; Mary A. Larkin, $10.50; James J. Lavery, $12.00; Marie A. Lee, $17.18; Ellen Locklin, $11.25; James H. Lyons, $4.69; Eleanor V. Mack, $47.49; Timothy J. Mahoney, $6.18; Bernard J. Manning, $2.00; Mary V. Moran, $10.78; William B. Moran, $.60; Bridget G. Moynihan, $12.00; Edward L. Murphy, $6.72; John J. Murphy, $27.14; Katherine Murphy, $2.00; Daniel J. McAllister, $8.00; James F. McCabe, $14.50; Timothy J. McCarthy, $10.00; Robert J. McCartney, $34.08; Mary F. Macdonald, $3.60; Elizabeth McGlinchey, $12.40; Elizabeth V. McGlinchy, $20.00; R. A. McGougan, $3.15; Katherine L. McManus, $25.00; Mary C. McNulty, $9.40; Ethel McTearnen, $29.75; Mary C. Nash, $5.00; Irene L. Neafsey, $2.00; Thomas Neville, $10.00; Daniel J. O'Connell, $10.60; Joseph T. O'Connor, $10.00; M. Elizabeth Parker, $5.20; Katie T. Patrick, $15.80; Katherine A. Porter, $9.15; Edward H. Powers, $5.50; James H. Quigley, $7.10; Emma L. Rafter, $3.30; Phillip H. Reilly, $3.00; David Roche, $12.68; Susan A. Roche, $9.78; Charles M. Ryan, $11.75; Patrick Ryan, $11.00; Susan F. Ryan, $3.20; Leo Schroth, $46.17; Michael J. Shannon, $8.00; Timothy F. Shea, $5.20; David Sheehan, $6.20; Edward Sheehan, $8.00; Helena Sheehan, $10.00; Juliette M. Sheehan, $9.55; Margaret Spellman, $6.50; John J. Spillane, $5.00; Annie C. Sullivan, $5.72; Charles F. Sullivan, $8.10; Patrick Troy, $4.00; Catherine Van Etten, $3.00; Edward Walsh, $7.75; Mary D. Ward, $2.02; Jane Wren, $12.00; Mary Woods, $7.80. Total $1,382 19

MISCELLANEOUS

Bonning, Charles E., insurance	$48 00
Boston Badge Company	60 00
Boston Ice Company	36 67
Carfares for the year	84 00
City and Town Clerks, for birth and marriage certificates	209 55
Committee on Constitution	20 33
Cohalan, Joseph, birth and marriage certificates	109 45
Cleaning for year	212 00
Cronin, Sarah, special work	374 00
Donahue, P. L., insurance	10 20
Degree Staff	2,326 45
Dorrety, William C.	140 90
Expressage for year	2 01
Federal Towel & Apron Supply Company	28 80
Federal Trust Company, safe deposit box	5 00
Finance Committee	412 50
Fraternal Monitor	27 65
Geneva Avenue Garage	10 00
Hampe, Clement, souvenir adv.	25 00
Hanley, Francis J., M.D., High Medical Fees	598 50
Harris, J. C. C., making charters	9 00
Kennedy, P. F., Catholic Directory	4 00
Knights of St. Rose Corporation, rent	1,700 00
McKenzie & Allen, repairing clock	5 00
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company	350 09
McKeon, Emma, special work	374 00
Medical Insurance and Health	4 00
Moizant Ozonized Water Company	15 00
Munroe Calculating Machine Company	5 00
New England Railway Publishing Company	10 00
Per Capita Tax returned:	
Iona Court, No. 10	1 50
Springfield Court, No. 104	75
Alma Mater Court, No. 114	75
St. Genevieve Court, No. 135	3 00
Bishop Stang Court, No. 236	1 50
John J. Leonard Court, No. 238	75
Returned on account of M. C. O. F. Herald Account:	
St. John Court, No. 33	8 45
St. Catherine Court, No. 62	13 47
St. Othilia Court, No. 118	3 51
St. Beatrice Court, No. 121	2 56
Hugh O'Brien Court, No. 134	18 48
Star of the Sea Court, No. 175	2 80
St. Philip Court, No. 184	14 52
Dr. McQueeney Court, No. 215	4 35
Taffe, Mary E., District Master	25 90
Perkins, L. Frank, typewriter	91 45
Ryan, Walter J., newspaper work	50 00
Sampson Murdock, directory	8 50
Security Safe Deposit & Trust Company, safe deposit box	50 00
Secretaries' Conferences	610 02
Sheehan, Joseph A., Corporation Counsel	1,548 81
The American Journal of Public Health	5 00
The Edison Electric Illuminating Company	160 73
The Rosary Floral Company	25 00
Traveling and other expenses of the High Standing Committee	5,085 00
Trustees' Expenses	38 68
United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company	1,310 84
Weiler, Jason & Sons	100 50
Springfield Union	5 00
	$16,408 96

NEW COURTS

Right Rev. James J. Chittick Court, No. 268	$31 00
St. Gabriel Court, No. 269	28 00
Fr. Rossi Court, No. 270	52 00
	$111 00

PRINTING

Washington Press	$1,139 75
Harrigan Press	630 23
John M. Schell	413 00
Commercial Press	74 00
Richmond Printing Company	53 25
	$2,310 23

SALARIES

High Secretary-Treasurer	$3,600 00
Clerks	7,520 00
	$11,120 00

SUPPLIES

Neil Buckley	$520 05
John M. Schell	628 60
Boston Badge Company	252 35
William C. Dorretty	162 91
Commercial Press	74 00
Joseph T. Paul Company	30 00
Boston Regalia Company	18 16
Jason Weiler & Sons	3 50
	$1,689 57

POSTAGE AND STATIONERY

Neil Buckley	$457 45
Brown Howland & Company	46 69
Boston Time Stamp Company	36 00
Neostyle Sales Agency	32 75
Elliott Company	22 84
Perkins, L. Frank	10 45
Bank & Office Equipment Co.	10 30
Diamond Union Stamp Company	8 05
A. Storrs & Bement Company	4 12
Underwood Typewriter Company	2 50
Boston Post Office	1,096 02
	$1,727 17

REPORT OF TRUSTEES
January 1, 1922

EMERGENCY FUND

Balance January 1, 1921			$1,257,119 12
Receipts			
Emergency Fund Assessments	$107,086 25		
Interest on bonds	$40,937 50		
Interest on mortgages	14,765 58		
Interest on daily balances	1,489 41		
	$57,192 49		
Add: Profit on bonds matured	$335 38		
Taxes and insurance, Rosseter St., Dor.	276 16		
	611 54		
	$57,804 03		
Less: Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	$1,106 32		
Taxes and insurance 74 Medford St., Chsn.	252 97		
Loss on bonds matured	6 90		
	1,366 19		
		56,437 84	
			163,524 09
Transferred from Mortuary Fund			100,000 00
Balance in Emergency Fund Jan. 1, 1922			$1,520,643 21
Municipal, State and Government Bonds, cost price			1,022,391 37
First Mortgage Loans			330,393 32
Old Colony Trust Company (on deposit)			85,824 88
Second National Bank (on deposit)			52,023 51
New England Trust Company (on deposit)			15,151 66
Federal Trust Company (on deposit)			10,358 87
Essex National Bank (on deposit)			3,621 33
Union Institution for Savings (on deposit)			878 27
			$1,520,643 21

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF TRUSTEES
January 1, 1922

Balance uninvested January 1, 1921			$10,969 71
RECEIPTS			
Emergency Fund Assessments	$107,086 25		
Interest on bonds	40,937 50		
Interest on mortgages	14,765 58		
Interest on daily balances	1,489 41		
Paid on mortgages	29,125 00		
Bonds matured	21,500 00		
Taxes and insurance, Rosseter St., Dorchester	276 16		
			215,179 90
			$226,149 61
Transferred from Mortuary Fund			100,000 00
			$326,149 61

DISBURSEMENTS

United States Government 4¼s, cost price	$4,380 25
United States Government 4¼s, cost price	17,505 00
United States Government 4¼s, cost price	21,836 25
Boston, 3½s, cost price	7,484 40
Boston, 3½s, cost price	3,289 20
Essex County 4s, cost price	927 50
Lexington, 4s, cost price	4,910 00
Lynn, 4s, cost price	940 20
New Bedford, 4s, cost price	4,884 00
New Bedford, 4s, cost price	8,075 00
First Mortgage Loans	82,700 00
Accrued interest paid on bonds purchased	1,106 32
Taxes and insurance, 74 Medford Street, Charlestown	252 97
Balance uninvested	167,858 52
	$326,149 61

MUNICIPAL, STATE AND GOVERNMENT BONDS

Beverly, 4s	$3,006 40	$3,000
Beverly, 3½s	1,934 60	2,000
Boston, 3½s	27,779 75	31,000
Boston, 4s	36,619 35	37,000
Boston, 3½s	65,954 17	73,000
Boston, 3½s	6,241 40	7,000
Boston, 4s	7,000 00	7,000
Brockton, 4s	2,000 00	2,000
Brockton, 3½s	6,541 20	7,000
Brockton, 4s	4,992 40	5,000
Brockton, 3½s	4,543 75	5,000
Cambridge, 3½s	5,485 65	6,000
Cambridge, 4s	2,015 00	2,000
Cambridge, 3½s	24,000 00	25,000
Cambridge, 3½s	4,537 50	5,000
Chelsea, 4s	6,044 90	6,000
Essex County, 4s	927 50	1,000
Everett, 4s	7,955 10	8,000
Fall River, 4s	11,045 50	11,000
Fall River, 3½s	34,288 75	37,000
Fall River, 3½s	36,580 50	39,000
Fall River, 4s	3,000 00	3,000
Fall River, 3½s	23,957 50	25,000
Fall River, 3½s	4,562 50	5,000
Fitchburg, 4s	5,970 00	6,000
Fitchburg, 4s	19,975 00	20,000
Gloucester, 4s	4,000 00	4,000
Haverhill, 4s	1,003 75	1,000
Haverhill, 4s	16,993 90	17,000
Holyoke, 3½s	2,750 40	3,000
Holyoke, 4s	995 30	1,000
Lawrence, 4s	11,005 10	11,000
Lexington, 4s	4,910 00	5,000
Lynn, 3½s	29,806 25	32,000
Lynn, 4s	3,021 20	3,000
Lynn, 4s	940 20	1,000
Malden, 4s	7,070 00	7,000
Malden, 4s	3,982 40	4,000
Malden, 4s	1,964 00	2,000
Massachusetts, 3½s	5,701 20	6,000
Massachusetts, 3½s	951 40	1,000
Massachusetts, 3½s	16,386 25	18,000
Medford, 4s	2,907 90	3,000
Medford, 4s	4,884 00	5,000
Melrose, 4s	6,767 70	7,000
New Bedford, 3½s	4,817 70	5,000
New Bedford, 3½s	19,659 10	21,000
New Bedford, 4s	15,510 00	16,000
New Bedford, 4s	16,093 75	18,000
New Bedford, 3½s	899 90	1,000
New Bedford, 4s	4,615 00	5,000
Newburyport, 3½s	16,275 20	17,000
Newton, 4s	8,037 50	8,000
Newton, 3½s	975 00	1,000
Newton, 4s	2,000 00	2,000
Newton, 4s	6,981 90	7,000
Newton, 4s	979 00	1,000
Peabody, 4s	10,066 51	10,000
Peabody, 4s	2,878 50	3,000
Quincy, 3½s	10,829 60	11,250
Quincy, 4s	1,005 30	1,000
Quincy, 3½s	956 50	1,000
Salem, 4½s	12,601 44	12,000
Salem, 4s,	5,763 60	6,000
Salem, 3½s	3,793 10	4,000

Springfield, 3s	896 25	1,000
Springfield, 3½s	4,755 50	5,000
Taunton, 4s	5,849 25	6,000
Taunton, 3½s	5,068 75	5,000
Taunton, 3½s	45,961 13	49,000
United States Government, 4¼s	66,300 25	75,000
United States Government, 4¼s	46,490 00	50,000
United States Government, 4¼s	77,870 70	90,000
United States Government, 4¾s	17,830 80	18,000
United States Government, 4¼s	101,178 25	106,000
Waltham, 4s	3,000 00	3,000
Waltham, 3½s	1,955 00	2,000
Winchester, 3½s	9,279 52	10,000
Worcester, 3½s	3,650 00	4,000
Worcester, 3½s	4,568 00	5,000
	$1,022,391 37	$1,088,250

THOMAS F. KELLEY,
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
JAMES A. DESMOND,
Finance Committee.

PATRICK F. BURKE,
GEORGE WIRTH,
JOHN J. LYNCH,
Trustees.

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF THE ORDER

Amounts Received by the High Secretary-Treasurer From Subordinate Courts for the Year Ending December 31, 1921

No. of Court	Received in Emergency Fund in 1921	Received for Mortuary Fund in 1921	Received for General Fund in 1921	Received for High Court Per Capita in 1921	Received for Fees in 1921	Total in 1921	No. of Court	Received in Emergency Fund in 1921	Received for Mortuary Fund in 1921	Received for General Fund in 1921	Received for High Court Per Capita in 1921	Received for Fees in 1921	Total in 1921
1	$454.00	$2,838.60	$5.50	$165.00	$5.75	$3,468.85	72	1,311.00	8,510.60	22.50	488.25	4.75	10,337.10
3	589.00	3,681.10	13.25	211.50	4.75	4,499.60	73	720.00	4,524.50	17.50	267.00	.....	5,529.00
4	934.00	5,703.10	17.80	336.00	15.00	7,005.90	74	213.00	1,356.10	5.98	79.50	.75	1,655.33
5	1,043.00	6,719.30	11.35	389.25	2.75	8,165.65	75	293.00	1,910.10	7.00	110.25	.....	2,320.35
6	1,067.00	6,761.10	27.00	393.00	5.00	8,253.10	76	451.00	2,909.80	45.50	163.50	1.50	3,571.30
7	486.00	3,048.20	37.25	174.75	6.75	3,752.95	77	746.00	4,902.00	14.00	276.00	.....	5,938.00
8	888.00	5,825.00	8.00	331.50	2.00	7,054.50	78	162.00	1,242.90	29.25	60.75	.50	1,495.40
9	216.00	1,447.50	5.50	81.75	.....	1,750.75	79	381.00	2,378.60	39.08	138.75	6.00	2,943.43
10	1,096.00	7,078.40	24.25	403.50	4.25	8,606.40	80	230.00	1,446.60	3.50	84.00	.50	1,764.60
11	373.00	2,413.30	5.50	140.25	.....	2,932.05	81	445.00	3,064.10	5.25	164.25	2.25	3,680.85
12	122.00	745.30	4.60	45.00	.....	916.90	82	447.00	2,831.60	17.50	167.25	.50	3,463.85
13	182.00	1,153.40	10.25	69.00	1.00	1,415.65	83	617.00	3,858.30	29.25	226.50	5.75	4,736.80
14	424.00	2,794.20	21.50	158.25	.25	3,398.20	84	346.00	2,194.90	3.50	128.25	2.00	2,674.65
15	770.00	4,871.50	23.10	281.25	5.75	5,951.60	85	1,182.00	7,501.00	16.30	437.25	5.25	9,141.80
16	1,411.00	9,138.80	10.25	525.00	5.75	11,090.80	86	258.00	1,588.70	1.50	97.50	1.25	1,946.95
17	599.00	3,895.40	15.25	222.75	5.00	4,737.40	87	219.00	1,351.95	27.54	81.75	1.50	1,681.74
18	1,007.00	6,402.40	3.50	370.50	5.75	7,789.15	88	70.00	460.30	10.50	26.25	.....	567.05
19	822.00	5,258.60	7.25	303.75	2.25	6,393.85	89	239.00	1,689.50	12.25	89.25	.....	2,030.00
20	480.00	3,034.20	6.94	174.75	6.25	3,702.14	90	132.00	883.40	7.00	48.75	.75	1,071.90
21	487.00	3,171.20	7.00	179.25	1.50	3,845.95	91	139.00	880.50	3.50	51.00	.25	1,074.25
23	698.00	4,476.64	6.50	256.50	2.00	5,439.64	92	214.00	1,398.20	7.00	80.25	1.00	1,700.45
24	685.00	4,110.25	111.85	243.75	9.75	5,160.60	93	306.00	1,966.10	8.00	114.00	.50	2,394.60
25	670.00	4,333.30	14.75	247.50	4.25	5,269.80	95	738.09	4,711.90	29.25	267.00	6.50	5,752.65
26	624.00	3,598.95	10.00	231.00	1.75	4,465.70	96	318.00	1,908.70	5.00	113.25	5.00	2,349.95
28	448.00	2,967.70	5.50	167.25	1.75	3,590.20	97	412.00	2,550.90	10.50	153.75	.....	3,127.15
29	773.00	4,943.20	12.00	288.75	1.75	6,018.70	98	138.00	937.80	2.25	51.75	.....	1,129.80
30	351.00	2,287.50	14.00	132.00	.25	2,784.75	99	271.00	1,702.80	13.25	102.00	.50	2,089.55
32	614.00	4,251.60	3.72	230.25	5.25	5,104.82	100	868.00	5,693.55	3.50	321.00	6.75	6,892.80
33	677.00	4,401.20	6.00	249.00	3.50	5,336.70	102	696.00	4,591.10	7.90	258.00	2.25	5,555.25
34	549.00	3,413.00	8.30	203.25	3.75	4,177.30	103	656.00	4,308.80	11.50	243.00	3.00	5,222.30
37	79.00	496.60	5.40	30.00	.....	611.00	104	565.00	3,770.10	11.50	211.50	4.00	4,562.10
38	312.00	1,966.90	18.00	108.00	15.25	2,420.15	105	460.00	2,998.60	27.85	167.25	3.00	3,656.70
39	704.00	4,491.00	50.75	250.50	12.00	5,508.25	106	780.00	4,974.90	76.00	288.00	10.00	6,128.90
43	349.00	2,307.50	7.50	129.00	1.25	2,794.25	107	691.00	4,707.80	21.00	249.00	10.00	5,678.80
44	842.00	5,177.70	15.25	301.50	15.00	6,351.45	108	670.00	4,460.70	16.65	248.25	3.00	5,398.60
45	174.00	1,132.25	29.50	65.25	.....	1,401.00	109	830.00	5,390.50	14.75	300.00	16.25	6,551.50
46	1,965.00	10,772.90	63.85	667.50	59.50	13,528.75	110	256.00	1,680.00	28.50	96.00	.50	2,061.00
47	412.00	2,578.50	13.25	151.50	2.25	3,157.50	111	1,686.00	10,746.30	7.25	627.75	11.75	13,079.05
48	671.00	4,176.00	10.00	248.25	5.50	5,110.75	112	852.00	5,611.10	20.75	315.75	3.00	6,802.60
49	291.00	1,827.50	3.50	103.50	3.25	2,228.75	113	303.00	1,942.80	3.65	111.75	2.50	2,363.70
51	643.00	3,890.50	13.00	237.75	1.50	4,785.75	114	1,380.00	8,760.40	9.00	506.25	10.00	10,665.65
52	438.00	2,537.00	13.55	159.75	4.00	3,152.30	115	200.00	1,308.70	3.50	74.25	2.25	1,588.70
53	647.00	4,297.10	4.50	239.25	1.75	5,189.60	116	874.00	5,665.70	19.25	319.50	5.50	6,883.95
54	233.00	1,499.35	3.75	87.75	.....	1,823.85	117	45.50	369.90	5.00	19.50	.....	439.90
55	559.00	3,524.20	14.00	204.00	4.50	4,305.70	118	257.00	1,654.70	14.75	96.00	.25	2,022.70
57	724.00	4,415.50	22.00	262.50	7.75	5,431.75	119	298.00	1,848.40	7.25	106.50	2.25	2,262.40
58	252.00	1,752.80	18.50	93.75	.....	2,117.05	120	577.00	3,767.25	5.30	212.25	2.25	4,564.05
59	1,058.00	6,778.50	3.50	388.50	8.00	8,236.50	121	184.00	1,195.20	19.75	69.00	.....	1,467.95
60	1,655.00	10,295.50	16.25	606.00	11.50	12,584.25	122	453.00	3,029.35	46.75	168.75	2.00	3,699.85
61	1,184.00	7,537.20	18.25	429.75	10.75	9,179.95	123	204.00	1,335.30	7.50	77.25	3.50	1,627.55
62	1,067.00	6,658.00	7.50	398.25	2.00	8,132.75	124	758.00	4,885.55	26.00	279.75	20.50	5,969.80
63	746.00	4,876.80	19.50	279.00	.75	5,922.05	125	206.00	1,163.00	3.50	75.75	1.00	1,449.25
64	391.00	2,535.70	11.50	144.00	1.25	3,083.45	126	822.00	5,349.50	11.50	306.75	7.75	6,497.50
65	1,015.00	6,589.10	23.25	378.00	1.75	8,007.10	127	239.00	1,484.90	7.50	89.25	.50	1,821.15
66	707.00	4,457.60	29.00	261.75	3.25	5,458.60	128	422.00	2,745.80	1.50	156.00	3.75	3,329.05
67	470.00	2,915.75	19.50	172.50	2.00	3,579.75	129	617.00	3,926.60	47.50	227.25	11.75	4,830.10
68	336.00	2,066.35	32.93	120.75	3.25	2,559.28	130	368.00	2,389.50	7.25	131.25	4.00	2,900.00
69	818.00	5,081.20	3.50	306.00	4.00	6,212.70	131	132.00	818.50	10.80	48.00	2.25	1,011.55
70	362.00	2,284.80	9.00	134.25	.50	2,790.55	132	265.00	1,649.05	3.50	99.75	.25	2,017.55
71	781.00	5,513.50	20.50	290.25	5.25	6,610.50	133	114.00	767.20	5.50	42.75	.....	929.45

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF THE ORDER—Continued

No. of Court	Received in Emergency Fund in 1921	Received for Mortuary Fund in 1921	Received for General Fund in 1921	Received for High Court Per Capita in 1921	Received for Fees in 1921	Total in 1921
134	431.00	2,848.00	6.50	159.75	1.50	3,446.75
135	694.60	4,278.95	34.85	258.75	3.50	5,270.05
136	952.00	6,435.10	10.25	348.75	9.00	7,755.10
137	230.00	1,548.65	9.75	86.25	.75	1,845.40
138	644.00	4,550.40	5.00	233.25	4.25	5,436.90
139	370.00	2,475.10	12.00	138.00	.75	2,995.85
140	333.00	2,044.50	24.50	115.50	5.50	2,499.00
141	730.00	4,755.80	19.85	269.25	3.75	5,778.65
142	772.00	4,993.20	3.50	288.75	2.50	6,059.95
143	534.00	3 342.40	36.25	192.00	5.25	4,109.90
144	405.00	2,744.20	35.50	147.75	6.50	3,338.95
145	243.00	1,546.40	11.50	88.50	1.25	1,890.65
146	103.00	698.30	12.00	37.50	.....	850.80
147	627.00	4,092.10	4.50	233.25	2.00	4,958.85
148	545.00	3,546.00	14.75	262.50	1.25	4,309.50
149	302.00	2,276.70	5.00	129.00	.75	2,713.45
150	376.00	2,501.80	7.25	138.00	1.75	3,024.80
151	644.00	3,974.50	12.05	226.50	10.25	4,837.30
152	68.00	485.60	11.31	26.25	1.00	592.16
153	164.00	1,125.40	5.00	60.75	.75	1,355.90
154	58.00	436.70	6.50	21.00	.....	522.20
155	415.00	2,739.10	12.00	154.50	.25	3,320.85
156	516.00	3,145.30	10.00	191.25	3.00	3,865.55
157	234.00	1,377.90	14.75	87.00	.25	1,713.90
158	354.00	2,346.80	9.50	132.00	6.50	2,848.80
159	256.00	1,636.00	9.50	92.25	2.50	1,996.25
160	455.00	2,919.50	6.65	168.75	2.25	3,552.15
161	260.00	1,627.60	3.50	94.50	2.25	1,987.85
162	435.00	2,754.80	3.50	159.00	1.50	3,353.80
163	397.00	2 503.10	11.25	146.25	2.25	3,059.85
164	480.00	2,969.10	10.25	170.25	3.00	3,632.60
165	319.00	2,042.50	9.10	123.75	5.25	2,499.60
166	91.00	681.50	3.00	33.75	.25	809.50
167	45.00	489.60	.....	9.40	.....	544.00
168	142.00	939.50	5.00	51.00	1.00	1,138.50
169	258.00	1,753.90	10.50	94.50	1.00	2,117.90
170	212.00	1,342.50	3.50	78.75	.75	1,637.50
171	361.00	2,232.10	17.82	135.00	.75	2,746.67
172	391.00	2,562.80	13.80	145.50	2.25	3,115.35
173	440.00	2,545.60	1.50	160.50	3.00	3,150.60
174	660.00	4,016.80	26.75	241.50	3.25	4,948.30
175	231.00	1,543.70	16.72	86.25	.75	1,878.42
178	336.00	2,148.40	43.50	123.75	2.00	2,653.65
179	632.00	3,954.60	17.75	232.50	4.75	4,841.60
180	752.00	4,449.50	62.75	271.50	9.50	5,545.25
181	443.00	2.884.40	27.40	155.25	9.50	3,519.55
182	178.00	1,174.90	2.40	65.25	2.00	1,422.55
183	158.00	1,048.95	5.50	59.25	.50	1,272.20
184	590.00	3,706.90	58.00	212.25	9.75	4,576.90
185	68.00	418.50	6.60	25.50	.75	519.35
186	1,185.00	6,859.90	104.36	441.75	.....	8.591.01
187	501.00	3.227.30	12.25	179.25	6.25	3,926.05
188	242.00	1,463.90	4.00	80.75	.50	1,791.15
190	1.080.00	6,676.10	8.25	401.25	7.75	8,173.35
191	126.00	860.40	11.03	46.50	.50	1,044.43
192	393.00	2,221.10	8.80	142.50	4.00	2,769.40
193	233.00	1,554.40	10.80	86.25	3.25	1,887.70
194	670.00	4,365.50	11.25	243.75	2.75	5,293.25
195	364.00	2,343.90	10.25	135.00	4.25	2,857.40
196	405.00	2.622.30	24.59	149.25	1.75	3,202.89
197	210.00	1,392.85	8.70	78.00	.50	1,690.05
198	346.00	2,244.90	5.50	124.50	3.25	2,724.15
199	103.00	598.50	6.50	38.25	.....	746.25
200	159.00	1,024.40	11.85	57.00	5.75	1,258.00
201	251.00	1,587.60	5.50	93.75	.25	1.938.10
202	195.00	1,254.40	3.50	69.75	3.50	1,526.15
203	201.00	1,298.50	6.60	75.00	1.00	1,582.10
204	80.75	535.90	7.87	23.25	.50	648.27
205	202.00	1,301.40	11.78	73.50	.25	1,588 93
206	301.00	1,831.80	31.14	111.00	5.00	2 282.94
208	380.00	2,207.80	38.65	129.75	7.00	2,763 20
209	70.00	493.60	3.50	26.25	.....	593.35
210	78.00	508.50	7.50	29.25	.....	623.25
211	190.00	1,230.70	5.00	69.75	1.50	1,496.95
212	128.00	769.20	4.35	46.50	2.25	950.30
214	253.00	1,634.20	7.25	92.25	2.00	1,988.70
215	162.00	1 019.00	3.50	60.75	.25	1,245.50
216	268.00	1,647.00	24.50	96.00	2.75	2,038.25
217	114.00	799.10	5.50	42.00	.50	961.10
218	183.00	1,093.20	8.72	68.25	1.00	1,354.17
219	263.00	1,770.80	8.00	99.00	.25	2,141.05
220	242.00	1,034.20	18.00	61.50	.75	1,356.45
221	155.00	1,022.90	10.50	55.50	.75	1,244.65
222	202.00	1,402.85	7.13	75.75	.50	1,688.23
223	371.00	2,420.80	3.50	136.50	1.50	2,933.30
224	114.00	941.70	1.50	70.25	.25	1,127.70
225	322.00	2,159.45	3.50	114.75	5.75	2,605.45
226	117.00	723.10	22.47	42.75	.75	906.07
227	174.00	1,109.00	41.50	64.50	1.50	1.390.50
228	169.00	1,038.95	10.50	58.50	5.00	1.281.95
229	237.00	1,321.70	20.50	77.25	4.75	1,661.20
230	186.00	1.158.10	13.25	69.75	.25	1,427.35
231	213.00	1,439.30	3.50	79.50	.75	1,736.05
232	90.00	634.60	20.25	34.50	.....	779.35
233	36.00	261.60	3.50	13.50	.....	314.60
234	198.00	1,210.15	3.50	72.00	1.00	1,484.65
235	339.00	2,164.50	8.25	126.00	5.00	2,642.75
236	116.00	759.50	22.09	42.75	.75	941.09
237	349.00	1,508.50	18.50	88.50	4.75	1,969.25
238	390.00	2,395.00	19.82	145.50	3.50	2,953.82
239	235.00	1,414.10	3.50	81.75	5.50	1.739.85
240	174.00	1,095.30	12.05	62.25	2.00	1.345.60
241	170.00	836.20	3.50	42.75	1.25	1,053.70
243	119.00	671.80	5.46	40.50	2.75	839.51
244	158.00	966.30	17.32	57.75	.....	1,199.37
245	62.00	295.00	1.50	15.75	.....	374.25
246	67.00	441.00	3.50	25.50	.75	537.75
247	107.00	717.90	26.75	39.75	.....	890.50
248	120.00	697.40	10.50	40.50	3.50	871.90
249	454.00	2,742.10	10.04	162.75	4.75	3,373.64
250	303.00	1,899.75	3.50	110.25	2.75	2,319.25
251	435.00	2,850.50	17.50	158.25	.....	3,461.25
252	206.00	1.338.00	3.50	73.50	6.00	1,627.00
253	416.00	1,868.50	47.25	105.75	4.75	2,442.25
254	140.00	986.70	13.70	51.75	1.75	1,193.90
255	220.00	1,404.50	21.25	78.75	4.50	1,729.00
256	50.00	577.80	3.50	37.50	3.50	672.30
257	383.00	2.246.50	16.25	132.00	7.25	2,785.00
258	199.00	1.312.90	6.00	75.75	.....	1,593.65
259	359.00	2,292.40	3.00	134.25	2.25	2,790.90
261	90.00	1,042.85	3.40	64.50	4.50	1,205.25
262	121.00	657.80	3.50	43.50	2.50	828.30
263	138.00	809.20	1.50	49.50	3.50	1,001.70
264	174.00	1,006.70	24.95	63.00	3.00	1,271.65
265	299.00	1,862.00	3.50	108.75	3.25	2,276.50
266	193.00	1.174.90	1.75	69.75	3.00	1,442.40
267	165.00	858.00	32.50	52.50	3.75	1,111.75
268	171.00	959.20	17.50	54.75	4.25	1,206.70
269	188.00	885.10	24.50	60.75	20.00	1,178.35
270	337.00	1,355.10	48.50	105.75	19.50	1,865.85
271	22.00	23.40	22.00	.....	.....	67.40
Interest		6,926.77	396.09	.....	.....	7,322.86
	$107,086.25	$686,804.31	$4,077.50	$39,206.15	$873.75	$838.047.96

MEMBERSHIP

No. of Court	NAME OF COURT	Membership Dec. 31, 1920	Gain in 1921			Total	Losses in 1921					Membership Dec. 31, 1921	Average Age
			Initiated	Admitted on W. C.	Reinstated		Deaths	Suspensions	Resigned	Withdrawals	Total Losses		
1	Cathedral	208	18	6	.....	232	2	3	1	.....	6	226	47.6
3	Fenwick	287	17	.....	1	305	4	8	.....	4	16	289	39.1
4	St. Francis	429	38	1	1	469	8	4	.....	1	13	456	42.1
5	Leo	526	7	.....	2	535	10	9	.....	4	23	512	45.0
6	Cheverus	528	16	.....	.....	544	5	19	.....	8	32	512	39.5
7	St. Patrick	235	20	.....	1	256	2	9	.....	4	15	241	38.1
8	Sherwood	440	7	1	.....	448	7	5	.....	.....	12	436	47.4
9	Columbus	110	.....	.....	.....	110	1	.....	1	.....	2	108	49.8
10	Iona	540	17	.....	4	561	10	12	.....	.....	22	539	45.4
11	St. Joseph	186	3	.....	.....	189	4	3	.....	1	8	181	49.4
12	Fulton	58	2	.....	.....	60	2	.....	.....	.....	2	58	43.6
13	Fitzpatrick	93	2	.....	.....	95	3	2	.....	.....	5	90	44.7
14	Lafayette	216	1	.....	.....	217	3	3	.....	.....	6	211	48.1
15	SS. Peter and Paul	378	14	1	.....	393	6	4	.....	4	14	379	43.1
16	Essex	700	11	1	1	713	4	7	1	1	13	700	44.2
17	Hamilton	291	12	.....	.....	303	2	6	.....	.....	8	295	45.0
18	St. Peter	495	17	6	6	524	5	13	.....	3	21	503	43.4
19	Williams	410	7	1	1	419	4	15	.....	.....	19	400	44.2
20	Mt. Pleasant	224	20	.....	.....	244	4	4	.....	2	10	234	48.9
21	St. Alphonsus	239	6	4	.....	249	4	5	.....	.....	9	240	45.7
23	St. John	356	8	.....	.....	364	3	8	.....	8	19	345	44.9
24	St. Gregory	307	29	1	1	338	5	9	.....	4	18	320	42.9
25	St. Francis	330	7	5	.....	342	3	2	.....	2	7	335	43.4
26	St. Raphael	312	8	.....	.....	320	3	8	1	2	14	306	41.9
28	Erin	225	4	1	.....	230	3	2	.....	1	6	224	48.6
29	St. Thomas	389	7	.....	.....	396	14	4	.....	2	20	376	50.9
30	Bass River	179	1	1	.....	181	1	3	.....	1	5	176	45.6
32	Qualey	304	7	3	.....	314	6	.....	1	3	10	304	49.8
33	St. John	330	13	1	.....	344	7	2	.....	4	13	331	44.5
34	Americus	264	11	.....	.....	275	5	.....	.....	.....	5	270	43.7
37	Friendship	40	.....	.....	.....	40	1	2	.....	.....	3	37	50.8
38	St. Joseph	111	45	1	.....	157	1	1	.....	1	3	154	43.0
39	Benedict	308	46	4	.....	358	5	.....	.....	4	9	349	43.6
43	St. Mary	173	5	.....	.....	178	5	.....	.....	2	7	171	48.9
44	St. Bernard	394	18	3	.....	415	1	16	.....	3	20	395	40.1
45	Unity	86	.....	3	.....	89	3	1	.....	1	5	84	48.7
46	St. Augustine	744	208	1	.....	953	5	51	.....	.....	56	897	36 6
47	St. Anne	208	2	.....	.....	210	5	5	.....	.....	10	200	43.5
48	Sarsfield	322	18	.....	.....	340	4	4	.....	4	12	328	44.9
49	Constantine	138	8	2	.....	148	2	.....	.....	4	6	142	44.0
51	Holy Trinity	316	6	.....	.....	322	3	1	.....	.....	4	318	45.4
52	Highland	207	16	1	.....	224	1	5	.....	.....	6	218	42.4
53	Emerald	323	8	1	.....	332	6	2	.....	1	9	323	50.3
54	St. James	121	1	.....	.....	122	5	3	.....	.....	8	114	49.9
55	Charles River	261	17	2	.....	280	6	4	.....	.....	10	270	45.9
57	Carroll	326	31	6	.....	363	2	1	.....	3	6	357	43.1
58	Prospect	128	.....	.....	.....	128	3	.....	.....	.....	3	125	49.5
59	Worcester	504	32	1	.....	537	11	4	.....	1	16	521	44.0
60	Middlesex	810	31	3	.....	844	11	14	.....	6	31	813	40.9
61	St. Lawrence	569	34	7	.....	610	8	7	.....	4	19	591	41.9
62	St. Catherine	532	7	3	.....	542	5	2	2	2	11	531	39.7
63	Shields	385	3	.....	.....	388	3	22	.....	2	27	361	42.7
64	Gallagher	195	4	1	.....	200	3	5	.....	1	9	191	48.2
65	St. Columbkille	503	7	6	.....	516	6	1	1	.....	8	508	44.8
66	Griffin	347	12	1	.....	360	4	2	.....	3	9	351	43.9
67	Canton	232	6	.....	.....	238	4	2	.....	1	7	231	44.0
68	St. Margaret	151	13	.....	.....	164	1	1	.....	1	3	161	44.8
69	Stoughton	394	13	4	.....	411	4	.....	.....	1	5	406	43.7
70	St. Michael	181	3	.....	.....	184	3	1	.....	.....	4	180	43.8
71	Phil Sheridan	387	6	.....	1	394	3	3	.....	1	7	387	46.8
72	Merrimack	644	16	.....	.....	660	5	3	.....	2	10	650	44.2
73	Taunton	355	9	.....	.....	364	6	3	.....	1	10	354	44.6
74	Hendriken	108	5	.....	.....	113	2	.....	.....	2	4	109	49.0
75	St. Jarlath	146	6	.....	.....	152	5	1	1	.....	7	145	47.3
76	Quincy	227	10	4	.....	241	7	9	1	2	19	222	40.4
77	Mystic	360	6	8	.....	374	3	1	.....	.....	4	370	45.9
78	St. Monica	82	.....	.....	.....	82	1	1	.....	.....	2	80	49.3
79	John Boyle O'Reilly	165	22	1	.....	188	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188	43.7

MEMBERSHIP—Continued

80	Gen. Sherman	117	2			119	3	4			7	112	44.2
81	St. Malachi	220	5	2		227	2	2		2	6	221	44.8
82	Brockton	223	2			225	4	1			5	220	47.0
83	John H. Newman	297	18	1		316	4	5		5	14	302	40.5
84	Danvers	172	1			173	3				3	170	45.1
85	George Washington	574	20		1	595	7	6			13	582	43.7
86	Avon	129	4			133		2		3	5	128	45.4
87	Robert Emmet	109	6			115	2				2	113	40.7
88	Enterprise	33		2		35						35	47.2
89	Union	121	1	1		123	1				1	122	49.5
90	Rockland	63	3	1		67	1				1	66	53.0
91	St. Vincent	69	1			70		1	1		2	68	45.2
92	Harmony	113				113	3	2		4	9	104	47.5
93	Germania	155				155	3	1		1	5	150	49.5
95	Columbia	345	27	1		373	2	3		2	7	366	43.5
96	Sacred Heart	134	17	2		153		4			4	149	42.6
97	St. Anthony	209				209	2	4	1		7	202	41.5
98	Onota	68				68	1	1			2	66	46.0
99	St. Ignatius	133	1	2		136		1			1	135	41.7
100	McCafferty	434	28			462	4	24			28	434	42.2
102	St. Rose	348	3			351		5	1		6	345	48.1
103	St. Elizabeth	318	11			329		3		1	4	325	46.2
104	Springfield	298	10		2	310		33	1		34	276	39.6
105	St. Cecelia	223	10	1		234	4			2	6	228	45.3
106	St. Clare	368	25	5		398	5	8		2	15	383	43.3
107	Notre Dame	318	25	4		347	1	1	1	4	7	340	40.2
108	St. Agnes	328	12	2		342	4			9	13	329	44.6
109	St. Teresa	354	52	1		407	3	2		2	7	400	44.4
110	St. Veronica	129	2	1		132	1	2	1	1	5	127	42.6
111	St. Valerian	806	47		3	856	5	16	3	2	26	830	40.2
112	Isabella	434	8			442	4	12	1		17	425	41.9
113	St. Jerome	150	5			155	1	4		2	7	148	46.4
114	Alma Mater	662	30	2		694	4	24	1	1	30	664	40.0
115	Joan of Arc	92	7	1		100						100	49.4
116	Martha Washington	425	17	2		444	3	5	1		9	435	43.0
117	St. Bridget	27	1			28	2				2	26	51.1
118	St. Othilia	130	1			131	2			5	7	124	41.9
119	St. Boniface	143	8	1		152	2	5	1	1	9	143	40.1
120	University	291	8	2		301	1	18	1		20	281	39.5
121	St. Beatrice	91		1		92						92	47.8
122	St. Matthew	217	10	3		230	1	1		1	3	227	46.3
123	St. Ursula	102	3			105		6	1		7	98	41.9
124	St. Loretta	319	59	2		380	1	2			3	377	45.7
125	St. Aloysius	102	3	1		106	1	3			4	102	43.0
126	Bunker Hill	407	13	4		424	3	10		2	15	409	46.0
127	St. Paul	118	1			119	1			1	2	117	42.5
128	Abraham Lincoln	201	10			211	4			2	6	205	43.7
129	Bay State	298	11	2		311	2	3		4	9	302	38.8
130	Annunciation	163	16	1		180	1	1		1	3	177	45.3
131	St. Stephen	61	9			70	2	1		1	4	66	47.6
132	St. Nicholas	133	1	1		135		1	2		3	132	39.3
133	Windhorst	58				58		1			1	57	48.2
134	Hugh O'Brien	210	6	2		218	2			2	4	214	43.2
135	St. Genevieve	413	16	2		431	1	2		86	89	342	41.2
136	Fr. Conway	464	20	1		485	4	1		9	14	471	46.5
137	Commonwealth	116	4			120	1	1		2	4	116	43.9
138	St. Josephine	317	12	1	1	331	4	1	1	3	9	322	41.6
139	Fr. Denvir	183	4	3		190	2	1			3	187	44.2
140	Angelus	146	21	1		168		2	1	1	4	164	40.0
141	St. Gertrude	358	12	3		373	4	3		2	9	364	42.8
142	Lepanto	388	6	1		395	3	4		6	13	382	44.0
143	Lady of Lourdes	249	21			270	4	3		8	15	255	39.5
144	Bethlehem	176	20	1		197	1			1	2	195	44.3
145	Norfolk	112	4	3		119	1				1	118	46.8
146	St. Wilhelm	51		4		55	1				1	54	52.1
147	St. Helena	313	4	2		319	3	2		3	8	311	42.7
148	Mt. Carmel	268	6	1		275	4	2			6	269	48.5
149	Gen. Montgomery	174	2			176	1	3	1	1	6	170	40.5
150	St. Finbar	187	6			193		6		6	12	181	43.9
151	Perpetual Help	298	14	2	1	315	6	3		5	14	301	42.7
152	Gen. F. A. Walker	32	3			35						35	49.5
153	Fr. Thayer	81	3			84	1			1	2	82	49.3
154	Hughes	29		1		30	1		1		2	28	54.5
155	Magdalen	205	1	2		208			1		1	207	41.8
156	Marquette	246	13	1		260	1	4	1	3	9	251	38.3
157	Assumption	118	1	1		120	1	2		1	4	116	44.4
158	St. Paula	160	20			180	1	2		2	5	175	45.4
159	Immaculate Conception	117	10			127	3	1			4	123	43.6
160	Ave Maria	224	8	1	1	234	2	3	1		6	228	41.5
161	Wakefield	120	7	3		130	5	1			6	124	41.0

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162	Fr. Stack	211	9	1		221	4		1		5	216	42.4
163	Sancta Maria	194	6	2	3	205	2	11		1	14	191	39.0
164	St. Eulalia	223	6			229	5				5	224	41.9
165	Lady of Victory	150	19			169	1		1		2	167	39.4
166	St. Agatha	47				47	1		1		2	45	48.1
167	Pinehurst	45				45	2				2	43	52.5
168	Wachusett	62	6			68						68	48.2
169	Charity	126	3	1		130	1	2		1	4	126	45.8
170	Westford	103	4			107				1	1	106	41.9
171	Wannalancet	181				181		3			3	178	39.1
172	St. Ambrose	190	9			199	2	1	3		6	193	34.4
173	Owen A. Galvin	215	10	1		226	1	11			12	214	38.7
174	St. Winnifred	321	10	1		332	2	1	1	1	5	327	37.4
175	Star of the Sea	114	1			115						115	42.8
178	Fallon	160	7	2	2	171	2	7	1		10	161	44.5
179	Fr. McNulty	303	18	3		324	3	5	1	1	10	314	43.0
180	Neponset	334	30			364	4	2		1	7	357	40.7
181	St. Louise	181	30			211				5	5	206	41.4
182	Hingham	83	5	2		90	2			2	4	86	45.2
183	St. Miriam	79	2	1		82	1	1		1	3	79	46.0
184	St. Philip	264	34	5		303	3	7		5	15	288	42.1
185	St. Stanislaus Kostka	34	1			35	1	2			3	32	46.5
186	McDermott	585	19	1		605	6	14			20	585	38.6
187	Blessed Sacrament	230	23			253	3	2		2	7	246	41.2
188	Howard	121	3			124		4			4	120	35.0
190	St. Lea	525	27	3	1	556	3	17	1	1	22	534	36.4
191	Fr. Roche	62	1			63				1	1	62	50.1
192	Holy Cross	188	7			195	2	1			3	192	39.4
193	Fr. Keyes	118	1	1		120	1	2		4	7	113	44.4
194	De La Salle	339	9	1	4	353	3	25	1	2	31	322	39.1
195	Mt. Auburn	173	15	3		191	1	11		1	13	178	38.4
196	St. Rita	201	4			205		13		1	14	191	38.8
197	Campello	103	2			105	3				3	102	46.7
198	Dorchester	163	13			176	1	2		1	4	172	42.7
199	Lowell	52		1		53		1			1	52	43.2
200	Fr. Fitton	58	23			81		1	1		2	79	43.9
201	Fr. Thomas F. Lee	125	3			128	2	2		1	5	123	42.5
202	Fr. O'Connor	91	7			98	2			1	3	95	44.7
203	Jubilee	98	4	1		103		4			4	99	39.7
204	Fraternity	29	2	2		33	1	1			2	31	44.1
205	Fr. Scully	94	5	1		100	2			1	3	97	39.5
206	St. Victorian	131	20			151		1	1		2	149	39.7
208	Brookline	161	27	3		191	2		1	2	5	186	36.8
209	Our Lady of Mercy	36				36	1				1	35	47.9
210	Fr. Strain	39				39		1			1	38	43.8
211	St. Luke	92	5			97		5			5	92	41.6
212	St. Aquinas	55	6	2		63	1				1	62	41.9
214	St. Isadore	122	5	2		129		1	1	2	4	125	41.7
215	F. J. McQuenney	81	1			82			1	1	2	80	40.0
216	St. Mark	121	7	4		132		1	1		2	130	40.1
217	Clinton	54	2			56						56	46.1
218	Fr. Barry	91	2	1		94			2		2	92	41.3
219	St. Expedit	136	1	1	1	139	2	11	2	2	17	122	39.7
220	Fr. Shahan	81	3	1		85	1	3		1	5	80	39.3
221	Pentecost	74	3	1		78		1		3	4	74	43.6
222	Cambridge	102	2			104		4			4	100	39.3
223	Salve Regina	178	5			183	1				1	182	43.4
224	St. John of Cross	50				50		2		2	4	46	48.0
225	Winchester	153	5			158	2	1		1	4	154	43.9
226	Fr. Gavin	56	3			59		1			1	58	38.1
227	All Saints	83	3			86	1	1	1		3	83	38.5
228	Ashmont	67	12	2		81		1			1	80	42.2
229	Allston	88	19	3		110	1	1		1	3	107	37.7
230	R. A. Collins	95				95	1	2			3	92	37.1
231	Wiseman	104	4			108				1	1	107	44.0
232	John Barnes	46				46				2	2	44	46.0
233	Green River	18				18						18	47.7
234	St. Gerard	96	5	1		102		2		1	3	99	36.5
235	St. Brendan	171	2		1	174		6	1	1	8	166	36.7
236	Bishop Stang	57	2			59						59	41.5
237	Fr. Cusick	106	13	6		125	1	2			3	122	41.5
238	John J. Leonard	187	7	1		195			1		1	194	35.9
239	St. Valentine	93	23	1		117		5	1	1	7	110	38.6
240	Sacred Heart	76	10	1		87	1	1		1	3	84	41.4
241	Fr. Jos. J. Lynch	56	2			58						58	42.4
243	Daniel O'Connell	44	10			54						54	37.7
244	St. Dominic	79		1		80	1	1	1		3	77	32.2
245	Woronoco	21				21	1	1			2	19	44.7
246	Mansfield	34				34				1	1	33	38.3
247	Fr. Stone	54				54	1				1	53	44.1

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248	St. Bernadette	47	12	1		60	1			5	6	54	37.4
249	St. Marie	213	19			232	1	6	3	2	12	220	33.3
250	Mt. Ida	140	11	4		155		4		1	5	150	40.1
251	Fr. Sherry	210	14	1		225	1	11	1		13	212	40.0
252	Fr. Halloran	89	13			102	1				1	101	40.6
253	St. Kevin	123	15	7		145		1		6	7	138	37.3
254	Fr. McGoldrick	60	6	11		77						77	38.1
255	Edward Everett	106	6			112	2	3			5	107	38.9
256	South Boston	55	3			58		5		5	10	48	40.5
257	Lady of Grace	161	28	1		193	1	1			2	191	35.4
258	Presentation	99	6	1		106		3		5	8	98	39.7
259	Malden	182	4	3		189	1	6	1	2	10	179	36.4
261	Jamaica Plain	81	7	1		89				1	1	88	32.7
262	Cath. T. Leonard	51	9			60			3	1	4	56	28.3
263	Our Lady of Peace	58	12	5		75				2	2	73	32 8
264	St. Andrew	70	9	8	1	88		3	1	1	5	83	36.1
265	Fr. Supple	136	10	9		155		8	1		9	146	35.9
266	Mystical Rose	89	10	1		100	1				1	99	40.2
267	Fr. Mohan	55	17	9		81		4		1	5	76	34.5
268	Fr. Chittick	48	18	10		76						76	33.1
269	St. Gabriel	48	32	6		86		2			2	84	29.6
270	Fr. Rossi		71	82		153	1	2	1		4	149	37.2
271	Daniel A. Cronin		22			22						22	29.9
		51146	2743	405	41	54335	545	889	71	405	1910	52425	42.3

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1 Joseph Arsenault
2 Joseph A. Sheehan
3 John J. Murphy
4 John J. Sheehan

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6 Patrick J. Hartigan
7 John P. Lee
8 Patrick Higgins
9 Daniel J. Doherty
10 John I. Fitzgerald

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11 James J. Manning
12 Thomas F. Haley
13 George E. Mennig
14 Ambrose Woods
15 Peter A. Welsh
16 Henry J. Creutz
17 Thomas A. Scanlan, Jr.
18 Frank J. Long
19 Michael J. Stone

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20 Joseph H. Bonner
21 John Brant
22 John T. Callan
23 Michael Cavanagh
24 Joseph A. Coyle
25 Thomas M. Fitzjatrick
26 Eugene A. Kelley
27 John A. McGonigle
28 John McLoughlin
29 Michael J. Torpey

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30 John Doherty
31 Harry Humphrey
32 Bernard Maraghy
33 Hugh Maraghy
34 George McColgan
35 Jeremiah McLaughlin
36 Augustus Rasmussen
37 Charles Smith
38 James J. White
39 Miss Caroline Toomey
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42 Jeremiah J. Sexton
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51 Jeremiah F. Kelleher
52 Bernard Farrell
53 Patrick Cronin
54 Hugh Montague

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56 Mrs. Mary A. Clougherty

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59 Thomas Tracy, Sr.
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61 Timothy J. Mahoney
62 Thomas E. Tracy
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75 Patrick H. McCarthy
76 William G. Hogan
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78 Joseph W. Kelleher

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79 Henry A. Brennick
80 John L. Devereaux
81 Patrick J. Flynn
82 Joseph T. Geary
83 James F. Grady
84 Daniel J. Kinally
85 Thomas F. Murphy
86 William J. Sullivan

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88 James M. Collier
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93 John B. Harding
94 Peter J. Kieran
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96 Robert J. McCartney
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101 Samuel J. Cochran
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107 John F. Brooks
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109 John W. Connelly
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112 William P. Lyons
113 Dr. Henry C. Towle
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119 James C. O'Shea
120 Thomas F. Greene
121 Michael J. Shannon
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123 William F. Irwin
124 Henry Morris

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125 Garrett H. Keefe
126 Edward A. Dever
127 Daniel Anglin
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132 John J. Burns
133 Patrick C. Curran
134 Bernard Simms

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135 William J. McMahon
136 William H. Bodfish
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138 Thomas F. Mulcahy
139 John Norton
140 Martin Riley
141 Andrew Stack

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142 John E. Leary
143 John T. Finn
144 John J. Mahoney
145 Frank L. Dillon
146 Patrick J. Cavanaugh
147 Patrick F. Burke
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149 Philip T. Egan
150 Edward Finn
151 Joseph J. McNealy
152 Helen M. Pendergast
153 William P. Hughes
154 Dr. John H. Ash
155 Arthur B. Murphy

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156 Maurice Browne
157 Charles J. Hurley, Sr.
158 Thomas J. Brennan
159 Lawrence W. Feeney

Erin Court No. 28
160 John Canning
161 James J. Hickman, Jr.
162 Thomas McLaughlin
163 Frank J. Suckfull

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164 Thomas Walsh
165 Timothy F. Linehan
166 William G. McGlinchey
167 Angus McDonald
168 Alexander Gillis
169 Thomas O'Connell
170 Edward Sheehan
171 Charles Sullivan

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172 Jeremiah P. Cronin
173 Edmund A. Barry
174 Michael F. Lynch

Qualey Court No. 32
175 Mrs. Margaret Bonin
176 Frank E. Tracey

177 Dennis Foley
178 Edward E. Lynch
179 Dennis S. Doherty
180 James Begley

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181 Patrick Feeney
182 William F. Coveney
183 Michael J. O'Connell
184 James H. Newman
185 James F. Curry
186 Jeremiah J. Reagan
187 William Finn

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189 Thomas F. Tremble
190 Patrick J. Fitzgerald
191 William E. McCarthy
192 Miss Elizabeth O'Neill

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193 Patrick J. Crowley

St. Joseph Court No. 38
194 James Casey
195 Martin Padden
196 Frank P. Casey

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197 Frank P. Cooper
198 Frank W. Kodad
199 William F. Kodad
200 Lancis S. J. Crocker
201 Patrick J. O'Neil
202 Mary J. Mulcahey
203 Michael McKenna

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205 Joseph J. Dench
206 Mrs. Evelyn F. Kelleher

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208 Timothy O'Connell
209 Bernard D. Farrell
210 David H. Kerr
211 William Cahill, Sr.
212 Jeremiah Ford
213 William Cahill, Jr.
214 Daniel O'Connell

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215 David Cashon

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216 Francis M. McCarthy
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218 Maurice J. Angland
219 Charles S. O'Connor
220 Daniel P. Murray
221 Peter Cronin
222 John E. Murray
223 Michael J. Dullea
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225 Patrick D. Coakley
226 Patrick J. O'Brien
227 James F. Daly
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232 William J. Logue
233 Jeremiah E. Sweeney

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234 Dr. Joseph A. Fialho
235 Maurice Foley
236 Simeon White
237 Frank Whittey

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238 Susan McCretton
239 Patrick Ryan
240 James Lavery
241 Patrick Grady
242 Cornelius Ryan
243 Joseph Devlin

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244 Frank H. Power
245 Michael A. McGrath
246 Daniel Ferris

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247 Louis P. Pfau
248 Frank J. Holderried
249 Joseph Vey
250 Alfred Thomas
251 Achille J. Hilbrunner
252 John C. Farrenkopf

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253 Eugene J. Dailey
254 Patrick J. Gately
255 James J. Gately
256 John Keohane

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257 Patrick Greehey
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259 Stephen F. Duffy
260 John Buckley
261 R. J. Feeley
262 James B. Carberry

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263 Jeremiah G. Fennessey
264 Thomas W. O'Rourke

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267 James T. Barnes
268 John A. Gallagher
269 William F. Oates

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272 Thomas Condry
273 Daniel E. Shaw
274 Joseph A. Feeley
275 Thomas E. Shea, Jr.
276 Thomas A. Cunningham

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277 John F. Devane
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279 Walter T. Beestings
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281 John J. Monahan
282 Timothy J. Cronin
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284 W. E. Fielding
285 John T. Brady
286 James E. O'Leary
287 John J. Keating
288 William F. Thompson
289 John C. Farnon

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291 William H. Thomas
292 Mrs. Mary Leahy
293 Richard M. Lyons
294 Thomas Delaney
295 Elizabeth R. Dunne
296 James Ryan
297 James S. Cannon
298 P. Sarsfield Cunniff
299 John P. Tierney
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301 Mary E. Blake
302 James M. Cannon
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304 John Hines
305 Martin Murphy

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307 John H. King
308 Peter Grace
309 Edward McDermott
310 M. J. O'Day
311 Dr. H. Downs
312 John M. O'Connor
313 Thomas H. Finan
314 Patrick J. Tynan
315 P. Frank Regan
316 John J. Horgan
317 William H. McManus

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320 Patrick Gahagan
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325 James Flaherty

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329 Dr. George H. Clark
330 James J. Wall
331 Patrick J. Driscoll
332 Thomas E. Gubbins

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333 John P. O'Connell
334 Jeremiah C. Canty
335 William P. Russell
336 John J. Gleason

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337 Francis B. McKinney
338 Patrick Kelley
339 James Connolly
340 Joseph Murphy
341 John Moran
342 Thomas Neville
343 Frank Rogers
344 George A. McCarthy
345 Michael Murphy
346 William VanEtten

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348 Mrs. Ellen Locklin
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350 Frederick T. Feeley
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354 C. S. Haley
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356 A. W. Buckley
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359 William Moriarty
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362 Miss Jane Hyde
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372 James F. Gorman
373 Cornelius J. Carroll

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374 William P. Carlin
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376 Patrick J. Condon
377 John J. Cunn
378 John J. Healey
379 John M. Holland
380 John J. O'Brien

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382 John T. Desmond
383 David F. Roche
384 Thomas F. Bough
385 John A. Burns
386 John J. Murphy
387 Timothy W. Murphy
388 John J. Cummings
389 Charles M. Ryan
390 Thomas J. Murphy
391 Daniel J. Hayes
392 Frank W. Dawkins
393 James Farley

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394 John J. Mulligan
395 John S. Conaty
396 Frances P. Conaty
397 James H. McGrath
398 John J. McGuinness
399 Patrick O'Donnell
400 Phillip H. Reilly

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401 James F. Downey
402 Michael W. Murphy

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403 John J. Kenney
404 Bernard J. Manning
405 John McGrath

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406 J. Frank Goodhue
407 J. Henry Dorlay
408 John J. Lane
409 Michael Dorlay

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410 Patrick Phelan
411 John T. Scannell
412 Edward J. Shannon
413 Michael E. O'Brien
414 William F. McNeill
415 William H. Browne
416 John C. Gillis

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418 Miss Elizabeth Ahern

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422 Timothy J. Dorgan

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424 James Murray

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428 Daniel W. Grannan

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432 John Ward

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448 James Sullivan
449 John B. McCarthy
450 Edward Shannahan
451 John J. Cannon
452 John F. Mahoney
453 William H. Duffy

Avon Court No. 86
454 Joseph Linehan
455 John Collins
456 M. F. Clark

Robert Emmett Court No. 87
457 Samuel B. Hannaford
458 Peter Moore

Enterprise Court No. 88
459 Daniel Cooney

Union Court No. 89
460 Dr. Francis J. Hanley
461 Thomas Mahoney

Rockland Court No. 90
462 Frank E. Greene

St. Vincent Court No. 91
463 Hector Fortin

Harmony Court No. 92
464 Miss Margaret Timmons

Germania Court No. 93
465 Frank A. Bates
466 Henry Brennion
467 John Schell

Columbia Court No. 95
468 Frank B. Bean
469 Peter H. Bradley
470 John J. Daley
471 James A. Desmond
472 Jeremiah J. Kelly
473 Dennis P. Kennedy
474 John F. McKernan

Sacred Heart Court No. 96
475 Luke F. Callan
476 Mrs. Alice M. Baker

St. Anthony Court No. 97
477 Thomas F. Malloy
478 Dennis J. Murphy
479 Thomas E. O'Donnell
480 William A. Gormley, Sr.

Onota Court No. 98
481 Miss Minnie Murphy

St. Ignatius Court No. 99
482 Thomas J. Doyle
483 John H. Glover
484 James E. Phelan

McCafferty Court No. 100
485 Martin J. Kelley
486 John F. Harrigan
487 Charles H. Wheeler
488 Daniel A. Moynihan
489 Philip Drake
490 Michael D. Flannery
491 Thomas F. Boyle
492 T. Harry Murphy

St. Rose Court No. 102
493 Mrs. Margaret Galligan
494 Miss Mary A. Mayo
495 Mrs. Catherine Beaton
496 Mrs. Mary A. Higgins
497 Mrs. Margaret McConn
498 Mrs. Julia Emery
499 Miss Mary Conley

St. Elizabeth Court No. 103
500 Miss Margaret V. Neenan
501 Miss Mary A. O'Keefe
502 Miss Mary A. Cronan
503 Miss Catherine F. Galvin
504 Miss Emma A. Rafter
505 Miss Mary V. Moran

Springfield Court No. 104
506 Thomas J. Connors
507 Patrick J. Meane
508 Michael J. Sexton
509 Daniel J. O'Connell
510 John J. Deely
511 Patrick F. Maloney

St. Cecelia Court No. 105
512 Mrs. Catherine Berlo
513 Mrs. Barbara Stuper
514 Mrs. Eva Vey
515 Miss Caroline A. Hasenfuss
516 Miss Agnes Kamp

St. Clare Court No. 106
517 Miss Annie F. Sullivan
518 Annie Leahy
519 Miss Mary A. McGovern
520 Dr. Helen I. D. McGillicuddy
521 Mrs. Helen F. Driscoll
522 Miss Mary A. Keeffe
523 Miss Margaret L. Curry
524 Dr. Mary A. Molloy

Notre Dame Court No. 107
525 Mrs. Anna O'Hare
526 Mrs. Mary Costello
527 Mrs. Margaret Flynn
528 Miss Mary Woods
529 Mrs. Sarah Mahoney
530 Mrs. Mary O'Brien
531 Miss Margaret Keaney

St. Agnes Court No. 108
532 Mrs. Margaret L. Fahey
533 Mrs. Helen M. Sullivan
534 Mrs. Elizabeth F. O'Brien
535 Mrs. Josephine G. Dolan
536 Miss Helen P. Jordan
537 Miss Helen A. Whalen
538 Mrs. Delia F. Stack

St. Theresa Court No. 109
539 Mrs. Margaret Sullivan
540 Mrs. Hannah Buckley
541 Mrs. Delia Linehan
542 Mrs. Nora Meade

543 Mrs. Katherine Frame
544 Mrs. Katherine McMannus
545 Mrs. Maria McElroy
546 Mrs. Margaret Meade

St. Veronica Court No. 110
547 Miss Susan M. Quinn
548 Mrs. Mary E. McArdle

St. Valerian Court No. 111
549 Miss Helen M. Donoghue
550 Miss Annie Collins
551 Mrs. Charlotte Gleason
552 Mrs. Margaret Quinlan
553 Mrs. Catherine Grady
554 Miss Agnes Gorman
555 Miss Kathryn G. Fitzgerald
556 Miss Margaret Cronin
557 Mrs. Bridget Sweeney
558 Mrs. Mary Hawkins
559 Miss Nellie Towhill
560 Mrs. Lucy Murphy
561 Miss Annie Sullivan
562 Mrs. Margaret Dowling
563 Mrs. Alice McEnroe
564 Miss Anna T. Griffin

Isabella Court No. 112
565 Mrs. Margaret Hyde
566 Mrs. Margaret E. Clark
567 Mrs. Bridget Donoghue
568 Miss Margaret C. Clark
569 Mrs. Elizabeth Wylie
570 Miss Katherine Keefe
571 Miss Mary Donoghue
572 Mrs. Nellie McLean

St. Jerome Court No. 113
573 Mrs. Ellen L. Kelley
574 Dr. P. W. Moriarty
575 Thomas F. Kelley

Alma Mater Court No. 114
576 Mrs. Ellen A. Brant
577 Mrs. Mary A. Boyan
578 Miss Anna W. Digan
579 Miss Mary E. F. Digan
580 Mrs. Mary A. Dolan
581 Mrs. Nora M. Fenton
582 Miss Margaret E. Leahy
583 Miss Annie M. McGovern
584 Mrs. Bridget Moynihan
585 Mrs. Ellen L. Power
586 Mrs. Theresa M. Riley
587 Miss Gertrude H. Walsh
588 Mrs. Julia A. Walsh

St. Joan of Arc Court No. 115
589 Miss Mary Lannin
590 Mrs. Emma Hickey

Martha Washington Court No. 116
591 Mrs. Mary E. Higgins
592 Miss Annie J. Kennedy
593 Mrs. Juliette M. Sheehan
594 Miss Katherine Fitzgerald
595 Miss Katherine M. Donovan
596 Mrs. Nellie Kennedy
597 Mrs. Mary A. Cahill
598 Mrs. Cecelia N. Quinn
599 Mrs. Katherine O'Donnell

St. Bridget Court No. 117
600 Joseph Zimmerman

St. Othilia Court No. 118
601 Mrs. Marie Zepf
602 Mrs. Anna Hampe
603 Mrs. Margaret Uftring

St. Boniface Court No. 119
604 Leo Schroth
605 Edward Schroth
606 Joseph Uphiel

University Court No. 120
607 Dr. John P. Good
608 Michael Donovan
609 Michael Fitzmaurice
610 Daniel Donnolly
611 John F. Fitzmaurice

St. Beatrice Court No. 121
612 Miss Catherine Flynn
613 Mrs. W. Beatty

St. Matthew Court No. 122
614 William R. Gregg
615 John R. Fair
616 Thomas Mulqueeney
617 Frank Ayers

St. Ursula Court No. 123
618 Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall
619 Miss Margaret Duffy

St. Loretta Court No. 124
620 Mrs. Georgiana Norton
621 Miss Mary Fox
622 Mrs. Catherine Foley
623 Mrs. Catherine Cronin
624 Mrs. Carrie Long
625 Miss Mary F. Sullivan
626 Miss N. Myra Eaton

St. Aloysius Court No. 125
627 John P. Ketterle
628 Alfred Schaeck

Bunker Hill Court No. 126
629 Patrick B. Carr
630 Joseph L. Daisy
631 Daniel J. Donovan
632 John J. Lynch
633 Thomas F. Reynolds
634 Patrick J. Sullivan
635 Maurice D. Tagney
636 Benjamin J. A. Green

St. Paul Court No. 127
637 Edward Vogel
638 Thomas N. Stevens

Abraham Lincoln Court No. 128
639 Mrs. Annie F. Silva
640 Mrs. Alice G. Kelly
641 Miss Margaret L. Casey
642 Mrs. Elizabeth McIntosh

Bay State Court No. 129
643 Francis D. Golden
644 John J. Parziale
645 Henry J. Nugent
646 Edward J. Thomas
647 Frederick J. Glennon
648 Joseph Coughlin

Annunciation Court No. 130
649 Mrs. Mary F. O'Connor
650 Mrs. Mary F. O'Callahan
651 Mrs. Catherine Finnegan

St. Stephen Court No. 131
652 Joseph A. Barry

St. Nicholas Court No. 132
653 Jacob H. Drier
654 Mathias Fohrder
655 John N. Strassel

Windhorst Court No. 133
656 Alfred Kuntz

Hugh O'Brien Court No. 134
657 Henry F. Tanner
658 Timothy A. Donahue
659 Andrew Redmond
660 Michael Donovan

St. Genevieve Court No. 135
661 Miss Helen V. Curley
662 Mrs. Josephine Mead
663 Mrs. Mary Moran
664 Mrs. Bridget Mallanaphy
665 Mrs. Mary McCaffrey
666 Mrs. Mary Magrath
667 Mrs. Mary Ring

Fr. Conway Court No. 136
668 Mrs. Mary Haiden
669 Mrs. Katie Patrick
670 Mrs. Mary Duignan
671 Mrs. Katherine Long
672 Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick
673 Mrs. Elizabeth Sheehan
674 Mrs. Susan Roche
675 Miss Mary Taffe
676 Mrs. Margaret Chambers

Commonwealth Court No. 137
677 Mrs. Julia F. Danahy
678 Mrs. Mary E. Kelliher

St. Josephine Court No. 138
679 Mrs. Helen G. Garvey
680 Mrs. C. Teresa Sites
681 Miss Teresa H. Hayes
682 Miss Margaret J. Casey
683 Miss Nellie T. Crowley
684 Miss Eunice Slane

Fr. Denvir Court No. 139
685 Miss Annie Campbell
686 Mrs. Mary Fleming
687 Mrs. Elizabeth Macdonald
688 Mrs. Mary Sweeney

Angelus Court No. 140
689 Mrs. Annie Walsh
690 Mrs. Ellen R. Young
691 Miss Ellen Sullivan

St. Gertrude Court No. 141
692 Miss Annie Callahan
693 Mrs. Elizabeth Daisy
694 Mrs. Bridget Farrell
695 Mrs. Mary E. Green
696 Mrs. Susan B. Mahoney
697 Mrs. Loretta V. Martin
698 Mrs. Henrietta Welch

Lepanto Court No. 142
699 Joseph D. Bonning
700 Patrick J. Daley
701 Peter Hastings
702 Charles E. Bonning
703 Mrs. Hanora L. Bonning
704 John O'Shea
705 Robert Carroll
706 Michael J. Smith

Our Lady of Lourdes Court No. 143
707 Mrs. Lucy A. Kinlin
708 Mrs. Bridget L. Carty
709 Mrs. Mary L. Kelley
710 Mrs. Eliza Dolan
711 Mrs. Bridget McKernan

Bethlehem Court No. 144
712 Mrs. Mary A. Skaee
713 Miss Bessie McCugh
714 Miss Rose C. Brooks
715 Miss Elizabeth V. Norton

Norfolk Court No. 145
716 Mrs. Margaret Gallagher
717 John Concannon

St. Wilhelm Court No. 146
718 George Christoph

St. Helena Court No. 147
719 Mrs. Ida Brennan

720 Mrs. Catherine McEntee
721 Mrs. Maria McCarthy
722 Miss Theresa Quigley
723 Mrs. Catherine Flood
724 Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick

Mt. Carmel Court No. 148
725 Mrs. Mary Tobin
726 Mrs. Elizabeth McGlinchey
727 Mrs. Susan Ryan
728 Mrs. Elizabeth A. Flood
729 Mrs. Margaret Menton

Gen. Montgomery Court No. 149
730 Timothy B. Murphy
731 William H. O'Brien
732 John L. Condon

St. Finbar Court No. 150
733 James T. Barrett
734 Thomas Ryan
735 Patrick H. Hyde
736 Bernard J. Brogan

Perpetual Help Court No. 151
737 Mrs. Mary A. Sheerin
738 Miss M. Teresa Sheerin
739 Miss Mary J. Conway
740 Mrs. Jane F. Jacobs
741 Mrs. Mary A. Waul
742 Miss Anna G. Goetten

Gen. F. A. Walker Court No. 152
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Fr. Thayer Court No. 153
744 Mrs. Margaret Christian
745 Mrs. Mary Foley

Hughes Court No. 154
746 Mrs. Margaret T. Colbert

Magdalen Court No. 155
747 Mrs. Anna Shortmann
748 Mrs. Margaret M. Hazard
749 Mrs. Catherine L. Feeney
750 Miss Margaret L. Flanagan

Marquette Court No. 156
751 James Egan
752 George Murphy
753 Joseph Flynn
754 John Ahearn
755 Patrick Healey

Assumption Court No. 157
756 Miss Margaret L. Delaney
757 Mrs. Mary C. Henry

St. Paula Court No. 158
758 Mrs. Julia A. Burns
759 Mrs. Eva M. Doyle
760 Miss Margaret Fennessy
761 Mrs. Mary McLaughlin

Immaculate Conception Court No. 159
762 William H. Finn
763 John F. Good

Ave Maria Court No. 160
764 Miss Margaret R. Murphy
765 Mrs. Susan McSweeney
766 Mrs. Margaret O'Brien
767 Miss Winifred Ford

Wakefield Court No. 161
768 Edward F. Cronin
1023 Amos Gates

Fr. Stack Court No. 162
769 Mrs. M. McSherry
770 Mrs. N. Daley
771 Miss Mary Hayes
772 Miss Mary Hughes

Sancta Maria Court No. 163
773 Mrs. Mary E. Seix
774 Miss Mary A. Flanagan
775 Miss Mary A. Lydon
776 Mrs. Mary A. Ryan

St. Eulalia Court No. 164
777 Mrs. Helen E. Hutchinson
778 Mrs. Anna F. Lynch
779 Mrs. Margaret T. Noyer
780 Miss Mary A. Riley

Lady of Victory Court No. 165
781 Miss Mary A. Larkin
782 Miss Sarah Fletcher
783 Miss Theresa A. Connolly

St. Agatha Court No. 166
784 Mrs. Margaret Kelleher

Pinehurst Court No. 167
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Wachusett Court No. 168
786 Hugh Malone

Charity Court No. 169
787 Leo Burns
788 Thomas Slavin
789 Mrs. Nellie Cooney

Westford Court No. 170
790 Mrs. Elizabeth Harrington
791 John A. Healy

Wannalancit Court No. 171
792 Patrick S. Ward
793 Gabriel Audoin
794 John H. Daley
795 Michael J. Welch

St. Ambrose Court No. 172
796 Miss Louise P. Eagan
797 Mrs. Mary F. McDonald
798 Mrs. Mabel Fennessy

Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173
799 Peter M. Gilfoyle
800 John D. O'Leary
801 Patrick J. McArdle
802 Joseph M. Walsh

St. Winnifred Court No. 174
803 Mrs. Elizabeth V. McGlinchey
804 Mrs. Catherine T. Finn
805 Mrs. Julia Voke
806 Miss H. Gertrude McCarthy
807 Miss Mary E. Cannon
808 Miss Margaret McGlinchey

Star of the Sea Court No. 175
809 Avis M. O'Brien
810 Mary A. Sullivan

Mary A. Fallon Court No. 178
811 Terence E. Flanagan
812 James A. Clark
813 Timothy J. Lyons

Fr. McNulty Court No. 179
814 Miss Irene L. Neafsey
815 Miss Nora O'Connor
816 Miss Nora Minnehan
817 John E. Murphy
818 Daniel Coffey
819 Joseph J. Dobby

Neponset Court No. 180
820 Peter McManus
821 Cornelius M. Duggan
822 John H. Murphy
823 Charles McCarthy
824 Patrick J. Hanlon
825 Matthew Cummings
826 Dr. Joseph J. O'Brien

St. Louise Court No. 181
827 Mrs. Catherine Brady
828 Mrs. Mary J. Noonan
829 Miss Catherine O'Brien
830 Mrs. Katherine T. Riley

Hingham Court No. 182
831 Daniel B. Daly
832 John J. Buckley

St. Mariam Court No. 183
833 Mrs. Hannah Lyons
834 Mrs. Catherine Kelley

St. Philip Court No. 184
835 Patrick E. Murray
836 William F. Breen
837 James W. Scanlon
838 John F. Burdge
839 Thomas J. Hannon
840 Patrick J. Crehan

St. Stanislaus Kosta Court 185
1021 Leo Fandrey

McDermott Court No. 186
841 Eugene J. Sweeney
842 Thomas P. Quinlivan
843 Thomas H. Lovett
844 John F. Collins
845 Timothy J. Collins
846 Timothy J. McCarthy
847 Thomas J. Finton
848 John B. Hare
849 Charles J. Jefferson
850 James A. Donovan
851 Thomas M. Collins, Jr.
852 George P. Lovett

Blessed Sacrament Court No. 187
853 Mrs. Annie Wiseman
854 Mrs. Anna V. Kelley
855 Mrs. Anna T. Shelly
856 Mrs. Ellen D. Reynolds
857 Miss Mary Z. Kaveney

Howard Court No. 188
858 Miss Ethel McTearnan
859 Miss Anna McTearnan

St. Lea Court No. 190
860 Miss Margaret M. Shea
861 Miss Nonie Looney
862 Mrs. Anna Looney
863 Mrs. Katherine T. Cullinan
864 Mrs. Josephine Lovett
865 Mrs. Elinor Mack
866 Miss Genevieve Dowling
867 Mrs. Genevieve M. Conlin
868 Mrs. Margaret H. Sweeney
869 Mrs. Juliette Benson
870 Mrs. Ellen C. O'Connell

Fr. Roche Court No. 191
871 Mrs. Sarah A. Fitzgerald

Holy Cross Court No. 192
872 John A. Bowes
873 Robert J. Black
874 Richard E. Flynn
875 John D. Cardinal

Fr. Keyes Court No. 193
876 Miss Catherine G. Leahy
877 James E. Welch

De La Salle Court No. 194
878 John F. Golden
879 John F. Clancy
880 George W. McCullough

881 John J. Donnelly
882 John R. Wallace
883 James Curran

Fr. Coughlin Court No. 195
884 Edward R. Murphy
885 Timothy Relahan
886 Charles McDermott

St. Rita Court No. 196
887 Mrs. Bridget Cody
888 Miss Gertrude Keefe

Campello Court No. 197
889 Miss Ellen B. Horrigan
890 Miss Margaret Desmond

Dorchester Court No. 198
891 Timothy J. McCarthy
892 Daniel F. O'Neil
893 Patrick J. Kellard

Lowell Court No. 199
894 Timothy F. Rohan

Fr. Fitton Court No. 200
895 James F. Sullivan
896 Mrs. Mary A. Morse

Fr. Thomas J. Lee Court No. 201
897 Thomas J. Klocker
898 J. T. O'Connor

Fr. O'Connor Court No. 202
899 Mrs. Ellen F. Sullivan
900 John T. Healy

Jubilee Court No. 203
901 Michael Brennan
902 James J. Canning

Fraternity Court No. 204
903 Duncan J. Gillis

Fr. Scully Court No. 205
904 Joanna Fitzmaurice

St. Victorian Court No. 206
905 Mrs. Mary McLaughlin
906 Miss Anna E. McCarthy
907 Mrs. Helen Galvin

Brookline Court No. 208
908 Ferdinand J. Dawson
909 Miss Mary E. Carroll
910 Mrs. Ellen McGuire
911 John Maloney

Our Lady of Mercy Court No. 209
912 John A. McKenna

Fr. Strain Court No. 210
913 Michael W. Lane

St. Luke Court No. 211
914 M. C. Neilson
915 F. L. Williams

St. Acquinas Court No. 212
916 John L. Fitzpatrick

St. Isadore Court No. 214
917 Michael Driscoll
918 Mrs. Katherine McCarty
919 Miss Nellie Dannahy

Dr. Francis J. McQueeney Court No. 215
920 Miss Teresa Ganley
921 M. P. Dorgan

St. Mark Court No. 216
922 William F. Connors
923 Alfred J. Gillis
924 John J. Crowley

Clinton Court No. 217
925 Edward Walsh

Fr. Barry Court No. 218
926 William G. White
927 Miss Catherine C. Dermody

St. Expedit Court No. 219
928 John J. Scheuren
929 Ralph A. McGougan

Fr. Shahan Court No. 220
930 David Gillis
931 Henry Bohaker

Pentecost Court No. 221
932 Mrs. Annie T. Coveney
933 Mrs. Katherine Mulligan

Cambridge Court No. 222
934 James Connerty

Salve Regina Court No. 223
935 Miss Mary E. Dillon
936 Mrs. Lucy A. McDonald
937 Miss Elizabeth A. Callahan
938 Miss Mary Harrington

St. John of the Cross Court No. 224
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Winchester Court No. 225
940 Mrs. Isabell McKenzie
941 Thomas F. Fallon
942 David Meskell

Fr. Gavin Court No. 226
943 Miss Helen Foley

All Saints Court No. 277
944 Miss Mary Dugan
945 Andrew Campion

Ashmont Court No. 228
946 Miss Mary Murray
947 Mrs. Catherine J. McLaughlin

Allston Court No. 229
948 Mrs. Rose E. McClellan
949 Mrs. Elizabeth Barlowe

P. A. Collins Court No. 230
950 T. Ducey
951 J. Sheehan

Wiseman Court No. 231
952 Mrs. Vera Moran
953 Mrs. Bridie M. Burke

John Barnes Court No. 232
954 Patrick J. Slattery

Green River Court No. 233
955 Mrs. Mary A. Burke

St. Gerard Court No. 234
956 Mrs. Margaret M. Riley
957 Miss Marie A. Lee

St. Brendan Court No. 235
958 Timothy J. O'Brien
959 Maurice FitzGerald
960 John J. Lysaght

Bishop Stang Court No. 236
961 Frank L. Larkin

Fr. Cusick No. 237
962 Daniel F. Sweeney
963 Daniel Gallagher

John J. Leonard Court No. 238
964 James B. Kennedy
965 John J. Collins
966 James H. Benson
967 Walter W. Conlin

St. Valentine Court No. 239
968 Edward J. Murphy, Jr.

Sacred Heart Court No. 240
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Fr. Joseph T. Lynch Court No. 244
969 Mrs. Ella Cummiskey

Daniel O'Connell Court No. 243
970 Jeremiah O'Leary

St. Dominic Court No. 244
971 Frank McGrane

Woronoco Court No. 245
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Mansfield Court No. 246
973 Joseph G. Mees

Fr. Stone Court No. 247
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St. Bernadette Court No. 248
975 Mrs. Anna J. Neilson

St. Marie Court No. 249
976 Miss Elizabeth St. Ledger
977 Miss Catherine Connors
978 Mrs. Mary Canty
979 Mrs. Mary Burke

Mt. Ida Court No. 250
980 Walter D. Keenan
981 Thomas J. Rooney
982 Frank H. Reid

Fr. Sherry Court No. 251
983 Mrs. Elizabeth M. Mansfield
984 William P. Hayes
985 Mrs. Mary C. McNulty
986 James J. McKeon

Fr. Halloran Court No. 252
987 John D. Floyd

St. Kevin Court No. 253
988 Mrs. Elizabeth Sweeney

Fr. McGoldrick Court No. 254
989 Miss Mary J. Ryan

Edward Everett Court No. 255
990 Francis P. Brennan
991 Henry J. Walper

South Boston Court No. 256
992 Timothy F. Shea

Lady of Grace Court No. 257
993 Mrs. Margaret A. Harrington
994 Mrs. Margaret J. Gilmore
995 Mrs. Rebecca Fallon
996 Miss Mary Welsh

Presentation Court No. 258
997 Nicholas P. O'Sullivan
998 William B. Moran

Malden Court No. 259
999 Michael Kelleher
1000 John P. Sullivan
1001 Patrick Reardon
1002 Christopher Kelleher

Jamaica Plain Court No. 261
1003 James F. McCabe
1004 Michael J. Kelly

Catherine T. Leonard Court No. 262
1005 Miss Alice Powers

Our Lady of Peace Court No. 263
1006 Mrs. Mary J. Reilly

St. Andrews Court No. 264
1007 Mrs. Frances V. Hindenlang
1008 Mrs. Delia L. McCormack

Fr. Supple Court No. 265
1009 Edward Burns
1010 John McGaffigan
1011 Michael Lynch

Mystical Rose Court No. 266
1012 Thomas H. Smith

Fr. Joseph T. Mohan Court No. 267
1013 Edmund J. Mahoney

Rt. Rev. Jas. J. Chittick Court No. 268
1014 John J. O'Donnell

St. Gabriel Court No. 269
1015 Mrs. Anna G. Murray
1016 Mrs. Annie T. Daly

Rev. A. J. Rossi Court No. 270
1017 Miss Mary Earls
1018 Miss Mary Nash
1019 Miss Mary Mead

Daniel A. Cronin Court No. 271
1020 Mrs. Bridget Hufnagel

REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Forty-Third Annual Session of the High Court

OF THE

Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters

HELD AT STATE AMORY, PITTSFIELD, MASS., MAY 24, 1922

ANNUAL SESSION

The representatives met in the State Armory at the Forty-third Annual Convention of the High Court. The following officers were present: High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley, High Vice-Chief Ranger James E. O'Leary, High Secretary-Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester, High Senior Conductor John J. Collins, High Junior Conductor Dr. Helen I. D. McGillicuddy, High Inside Sentinel John H. O'Hara, Jr., High Outside Sentinel Patrick J. McArdle, High Medical Examiner Dr. Francis J. Hanley, High Court Chaplain Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D.

The convention was called to order at 10.25 a. m. by the High Chief Ranger, Thomas F. Haley, who called upon the High Court Chaplain, Rev. Doctor O'Neil, to offer prayer.

The arrival of Mayor Peter Sullivan of Worcester, Mass., was announced and the High Chief Ranger requested High Senior Conductor, John J. Collins, to escort Mayor Sullivan to the platform. The arrival of Mayor Michael Flynn of Pittsfield was also announced and the High Chief Ranger requested High Senior Conductor John J. Collins to escort Mayor Flynn to the platform.

The High Chief Ranger called on the High Secretary-Treasurer to read the call for the Convention, which was read as follows:

OFFICE OF THE HIGH STANDING COMMITTEE
17 Worcester Street, Boston, Mass.

April 1st, 1922.

To all Subordinate Courts of the Massachusetts
Catholic Order of Foresters:

In accordance with the provisions of Article V, Section 1, of the High Court Constitution, the High Standing Committee do this twenty-seventh day of March, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-two, call upon all duly elected Representatives of each Subordinate Court, to assemble in the Forty-third Annual Session of the High Court of The Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, to be held Wednesday, the Twenty-fourth day of May, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-two, in the State Armory, Summer Street, Pittsfield, Mass., to be opened in due form at 9.30 a. m. Credentials will be forwarded to each Court, and must be signed and presented to the Committee on Credentials.

Per Order of the High Standing Committee of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

THOMAS F. HALEY,
High Chief Ranger

JOSEPH J. FORRESTER,
High Secretary-Treasurer

The High Chief Ranger appointed the following Committee on Credentials: John J. Sheehan, Chairman, Cathedral Court No. 1; Joseph H. Bonner, Leo Court No. 5; John C. Kennedy, Sherwood Court No. 8; James Lavery, Sarsfield Court No. 48; Miss Minnie Murphy, Onota Court No. 98; Miss Mary V. Moran, St. Elizabeth Court No. 103; Miss Annie Campbell, Fr. Denvir Court No. 139.

Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey was announced and the High Chief Ranger requested the High Conductors to escort Past High Chief Ranger Fennessey to the platform. The High Chief Ranger requested the High Conductors to escort to the platform all Past High Chief Rangers present.

The High Chief Ranger presented to the Convention the High Court Chaplain, Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., who addressed the delegates as follows:

ADDRESS OF REV. JAMES H. O'NEIL, LL.D., HIGH CHAPLAIN

Sister and Brother Foresters, dear Delegates:—

For the forty-third time we gather for our Annual Convention. How short seems those years and how quickly passed! Measured in days, weeks and months they are indeed short, small and insignificant, but measured and weighed by the scale of good works performed for our fellow-man they are vast and their influence is today felt in many homes and by many firesides. Years count not in the lives of individuals and societies, only the amount accomplished. One may live a long time in a short space. A whole generation has passed since our founders met in the Cathedral and organized. Only a short time ago we consigned to earth the bodies of two of the "fathers of Foresters," Brothers O'Sullivan and Lawler. What a consolation it must have been to these good men to have witnessed the fulfillment of their ideals and the realization of their fondest hopes.

Our generation is passing. Are we alive to the opportunities of daily doing some good? Our foundation was laid by honest Catholic Christian men (God bless them). The superstructure is daily rising in grand, magnificent proportions. Are we doing our part in its development? Our revered founders left us sturdy virtues. They persevered under most depressing conditions, and circumstances—that would have deterred less courageous souls—which only nerved them forward in their good works. They were few in number, but an army in zeal. They stood for Unity, Fraternity, and true Christian Charity. They stood for Forestry—first, last, and always. They infused into the infant organization a life and strength that overcame all obstacles and made it what it is today—a model for all similar societies. Are we of this generation, loyal descendants of these men? Are we as zealous in our holy cause? Do our hearts go out to our work as did theirs? Are we, each and every individual, who are deriving the benefits and the results of their labors, are we, I say, doing what is expected of us?

As we enter into another year of our existence every delegate should resolve to renew his zeal in our noble labor and cause of humanity. Look alive to your opportunities of doing good. You are passing this way but once. Strew your pathway through life with some flowers of goodness. Sacrifice self for the greater good of the greatest number.

Be unselfish in this work. Be devoted to the cause. Inflame your heart with zeal and resolve not to permit a day to pass without making an effort to do something that will increase our membership. Brother and Sister delegates, you today face a solemn duty. You must not imagine that a Foresters' Convention is all play. You have been sent here to use your brains for the interest of these fifty thousand (50,000) people who represent three-hundred thousand (300,000) souls. Contemplate if you please what this means—the well-being of three hundred thousand (300,000) souls—the well-being of this organization whose welfare you have come to guard and whose interests you are to conserve.

Let this convention go on record as one whose wisdom and foresight has protected and promoted our interests. Shall the Court who sent you praise you for this day's deeds or will the contrary be recorded? On each individual delegate rests a sacred duty. Were one here present to so far forget himself or herself as to be heedless of the great interest involved, it would indeed be a misfortune.

It is to be expected that different temperaments and dispositions will take divergent views of the same subject. It is well, for by mutual discussion of our interests is brought out that which is best. But in our discussions keep in mind that we are a body composed of Catholic men and women. Let moderation guide your tongues and let charity animate your souls. Let true friendship and unity be the watchword of these deliberations. Personality must sink into insignificance and politics must be tabooed. For we are a business organization, bound together to protect one another and to advance our mutual interest. Our past year has been one for which we may be proud. Laboring against the greatest difficulties, perhaps one of the hardest years in the life of all mutuals, we have, nevertheless, advanced financially our Order's interests. Let me say to you, representatives, that if you look for a cause of the success under God's guiding care and blessed providence, you will find it in the devotedness, self-sacrificing, patient labors that have been done by the members of your High Standing Committee. To the men elected at your forty-second Convention—to the men, who late and early, have traveled the length and breadth of this Commonwealth—to the men who have sacrificed their homes and personal interests and comfort for your welfare—to them, I say, belong the meed of praise which I lay at their feet. And here I may be permitted, after thirty years of service on your Governing Board, to say that in my experience I have never seen a High Chief Ranger do more for Forestry than our present retiring friend, Thomas F. Haley. The Lord bless and reward him.

Our watchword, "What is best for our Order," wisdom shall dictate that the best men that can be found in our ranks shall be our general—the wisest men, our guides—the most prudent men, our superiors. We shall elect men with no other consideration save their ability and willingness to guide our destiny. For me, your humble chaplain, under the direction of our great Cardinal Archbishop, is to simply say, God bless you and His Divine Spirit direct you in your efforts today, so that the future generations and conventions may rise up in thousands to praise your zeal and bless your prudence. I may conclude with a quotation from an address delivered by our Cardinal in Fanueil Hall, May 25, 1910. He says: "I rejoice heartily in the growing strength of this excellent society. Each step it makes forward means an advance in the spiritual and temporal happiness of our Catholic Community. I wish that every Catholic laborer in the State would give his name as a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters."

I bring you his greetings and blessings. To him we pledge our heartfelt, unyielding loyalty and devotion.

To our newly-elected Holy Father at Rome we send greetings and beg his blessings on our work.

On a motion of Brother Thomas F. Kelley of St. Jerome Court No. 113, seconded by Brother John McGaffigan of Father Supple Court No. 265, it was voted that the address of the High Court Chaplain be accepted and spread upon the records of this Convention.

On motion of Corporation Counsel Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, it was voted that the High Court Chaplain be instructed to send a cablegram to His Holiness, the Pope, extending our felicitations upon his election, and that we pledge to him our affectionate regard and our never-ending support in all things pertaining to the well-being of the Catholic Church in this Country.

On a motion by the Corporation Counsel, Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, it was voted that the High Secretary-Treasurer be instructed to send to the former High Secretary-Treasurer, Brother Daniel H. Maguire, at Haverhill a telegram expressing to him the respect and regard of the representatives and the hope that he will be spared many years yet to come; and in connection with this that he be instructed to communicate by telegram with a florist in Haverhill and have a suitable floral tribute sent to our former High Secretary-Treasurer as a manifestation of our esteem.

Brother John J. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, reported as follows for the Committee:

The Convention when completed is entitled to one thousand twenty-four delegates representing two hundred fifty-one Courts. Credentials have been received from seven hundred thirty-two delegates representing two hundred twenty courts. On motion of Sister Mary V. Moran of St. Elizabeth Court No. 103 it was voted that the report of the Committee on Credentials be accepted as progressive.

The arrival of Reverend Father Bernard S. Conaty of St. Joseph's Church, Pittsfield, and Reverend Father Michael J. Leonard of St. Mark's Church, Pittsfield, was announced, and the High Chief Ranger requested the High Conductors to escort Father Conaty and Father Leonard to the platform.

At this time the business of the Convention was suspended and the High Chief Ranger addressed the delegates as follows: "As High Chief Ranger of the organization it gives me great pleasure to present to this body a man who possibly knows as much about Forestry as many of us here. A singular coincidence is that there is present here today two of his brothers acting as delegates of their respective Courts. At this time I wish to present to the delegates to this Convention, Reverend Father Bernard S. Conaty, Pastor of St. Joseph's Church of Pittsfield."

ADDRESS OF REV. BERNARD S. CONATY

"Reverend Fathers, Worthy High Chief Ranger, Catholic Friends of our dear Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and Foresters: I assure you that you are very welcome to our hill-top city. I am only a little shepherd among the hills, but I want you to know that you are in a community

that is more than fifty per cent Catholic with nine parishes, all working well for God and country, for the highest and noblest ideals of mankind. A very worthy representative of our holy faith is the chief magistrate, the Mayor of our city, in whom we all take an honest pride, because of his loyalty to his God, as well as to his State and Country. A dear old friend of mine, coming from the Heart of the Commonwealth, is the honored chief magistrate of that great city of Worcester. It was a pleasure beyond expression to greet him here because of old-time friendship, and I am glad to see that he climbed the hills to be a visitor here, just as God has permitted him to climb the ladder of fame, and we hope some day soon that we may greet him as Governor of the State of Massachusetts. Why shouldn't we be progressive? Now there is one thing I want to tell you. I want to supplement the remarks of your very worthy and much beloved Chaplain, Rev. Father O'Neil, by saying that you had better look out for your hearts. You are in a high altitude, and in such places the heart is apt to go a little bit too fast in its flutterings. We want you to lose your hearts to us here, but we do not want you to lose your lives, so be careful and don't get excited. Whatever you do here, do it dispassionately and have your hand on your heart. Another little remark, I will take the blame for having the mass this morning at St. Joseph's at nine o'clock, because when I came here from the Heart of the Commonwealth, I found the rarified air made me sleepy, and I wanted to give you the benefit of my experience by an extra hour of sleep in our quiet hill city. I know you had pleasant hours last night, pivoting around and enjoying yourselves until the wee small hours of the morning, while we honest men, I beg your pardon, we old fellows with white hair were sleeping.

"We don't advertise ourselves, they tell us, but if you stay until tomorrow and see our splendid sights, I know you will go home saying that we live in the Alps of America, and that you have been so benefited that your beneficiaries will have to wait a long time for your Forester insurance. You know the very best of advertising is to have a surprise, and do you know that you are a surprise party to this little Shire City of the Berkshires? Coming in such numbers our people are green-eyed with jealousy—Where do they all come from? They are Catholic men and women in a vast organization that does not go outside the confines of the State of Massachusetts, all working for that noble purpose of helping each other, the widows, and the various Catholic charities of our Commonwealth. As Father O'Neil said, 'God bless you for your work.' I have a soft spot in my heart for that name which is so dear to you and the people in the Heart of the Commonwealth—O'Leary. You know that name O'Leary is a good Forester name. I also want to be permitted to refer to one of the venerables who worked in the hills for every good cause and especially was interested in the development of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters. I refer to William E. Nugent, who did such valiant work here, not only for the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters and temperance organizations, but for every good Catholic cause. His memory is blessed among us, and I know that as you referred to your departed ones, and in your prayers to God this morning, you thought of him. There was a good Boston woman, I believe it was, that plucked some lilacs from our bushes. They were sending a detective after her when I said, 'Have all the lilacs, the roses, the tulips and our best young men and women that you want'."

At the conclusion of Father Conaty's address, Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60 announced that one of the forms of entertainment to be given by the Foresters of Pittsfield was through the kindness of H. A. Ford, proprietor of the Capitol Theatre, who opened his new theatre to the delegates of this Convention.

On a motion made by Past High Vice-Chief Ranger P. Sarsfield Cunniff of Middlesex Court No. 60, it was voted that the High Chief Ranger appoint a committee of three to place a suitable floral tribute upon the grave of our late Past High Chief Ranger Edward N. Clancy at St. Joseph's Cemetery, and that a letter of sympathy from this Convention be sent to his widow, Mrs. Helen M. Clancy. Complying with this vote of the Convention, the High Chief Ranger appointed the following committee: Past High Vice-Chief Ranger P. Sarsfield Cunniff of Middlesex Court No. 60; Former Corporation Counsel Hon. William P. Hayes of Father Sherry Court No. 251, Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60.

The High Chief Ranger introduced Father Leonard to the Convention as follows: "We are honored this morning by another clergyman of this great city of Pittsfield, whose sister is in our midst representing her court, and whose brother was our late lamented High Secretary-Treasurer, Major John J. Leonard. It gives me great pleasure to present to you Reverend Father Michael J. Leonard, Pastor of St. Mark's Church of the City of Pittsfield."

ADDRESS OF FATHER LEONARD

"Reverend Fathers, High Chief Ranger and Delegates of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters: My heart goes out to all of you, because my heart was always in the Foresters. Some of those who were very dear to me have worked hard and vigorously for its welfare. My heart goes out to you all whether you come from the East, the West, or the North or South. My heart is in Pittsfield, especially with the Onota Court, but it is big enough to take in all the courts of Massachusetts. I am glad to be here today with you and to see such a distinguished body of men and women in our fair city and I know that your presence here will yield a mighty influence for good. I know that locally the organization will be very greatly benefited because they cannot but catch the inspiration that must come when we see such a distinguished body of men and women as we see here today—men and women from the large cities, men and women from the towns and hamlets, and all here cannot but say they are glad, they are proud that they are Foresters. We want to increase and multiply, and we want to go forward and onward and take our friends into the Foresters and be numerically represented as we ought to be, and increase and grow and develop. I know that your influence will be felt all through the community. It will be felt first of all in this city, because I am sure that they cannot but take inspiration from you and go forward and upward and try and increase and multiply and double and treble and quadruple. I wish you God-speed in your work, and there is nothing you can accomplish without work. Whatever is accomplished is done only by painstaking work, and you must surely have worked very hard, very vigorously, very faithfully and very perseveringly to have accomplished the great work that you have accomplished throughout the state. Your name is held in veneration all through the State of Massachusetts for the very good work you are doing, and I hope that you will go on with the good name you have always upheld, increasing in usefulness to Church, your fellow members, and to the community in everything that will tend for their best interests. God grant, therefore, that you may not all fold your arms, but put your shoulder to the wheel and go forward and

upward and onward and never be satisfied until you take in every corner of the state into the organization and have doubled, trebled and quadrupled your membership throughout the state. That can only be done by work. Let us be up and about and working, therefore, energetic, earnest, always at our post ready to do our work. Surely we have great encouragement in this city from the Pastor of St. Joseph's. He is always helping along every good work. The people of this city love him and he is loved not only in this city, but he is loved all through the state, because he is known far and wide. Today Father Conaty has welcomed you to the city and I, too, welcome you with all my heart and I hope that you will enjoy your visit here very, very much and that you will go away with a good impression of the city, of the people, of the Onota Court and of the work that they have tried to do. They are few in numbers, but ready to work earnestly and hard. I hope you will come back to us on some other occasion when Onota Court will be a larger organization, and then we will try to welcome you once again to the city of Pittsfield. I thank you for listening to me. I know that I am taking valuable time that should be given to other speakers, so once more I welcome you all, as Father Conaty has."

At the conclusion of Father Leonard's address the High Chief Ranger introduced to the Convention the Mayor of Pittsfield as follows: "We have here in the City of Pittsfield, the same as we have in some of our other cities in the state, a man of our faith, chosen by the people to represent them as their chief executive. At this time it gives me great pleasure to present to this body Honorable Michael W. Flynn, Mayor of the City of Pittsfield."

ADDRESS OF HON. MICHAEL W. FLYNN, MAYOR OF PITTSFIELD

"Reverend Fathers, Your Honor Mayor Sullivan, Ladies and Gentlemen: It gives me much pleasure this morning to have an opportunity to extend to you the greetings of the City of Pittsfield, and I welcome you to our city in the city's name. I am sure that your stay will be all that the previous speakers have asked for. It is a great pleasure for me from several points of view to attend this Convention this morning. Many of our most prominent citizens are active members of your organization. I am specially pleased to have the pleasure of greeting my old friend, Mayor Sullivan of Worcester. I congratulate you upon selecting our city as a place for your deliberations in connection with this Convention. I do not hesitate to say that you have selected the best city in Massachusetts. It has been said, and is being said from time to time, that Pittsfield, rather than being a part of Massachusetts, is connected with the State of New York. Very often we get that from the State House in Boston, but we want it distinctly understood that we feel that we are not only a part of Massachusetts, but a very important part of Massachusetts. I want to say, or rather repeat, what Father Conaty and Father Leonard have already said, that I trust that every delegate who is attending this Convention will see their way clear to remain over tomorrow. We want to show you some of the beauties of our city. Pittsfield people have the reputation all through New England of being the most hospitable people on earth, and I am sure that before you leave we will have an opportunity of extending to you that hospitality, and if it is not extended in the full measure in which you think it ought to be, I want you to report to me. It would seem that even the Almighty has poured his blessings upon you this morning by giving you such beautiful weather, by having the sun shine down upon you, and after what He has done the inhabitants of the City of Pittsfield will try to do their share. We will see to it that your stay in Pittsfield will be such that you will be glad to return to it as soon as possible. Nature has done much for us, and our progressive citizens have done the rest. We have in our midst beautiful hotels, wonderful theatres and splendid churches, and I extend to you an invitation to visit all of them, and I am sure that you will receive the very best treatment that can possibly be given anyone. I do not know whether or not you people saw a notice in the paper this last week where there was a convention held on the outskirts of the City of New Haven—not a convention of this kind—but a convention known as the Ku Klux Klan, held in secret session on the outskirts of the city—didn't dare come out in the open the same as you men and women here have—didn't dare show their hand. You people aren't stealing around backyards—you are out in our main streets doing a work for the benefit of the general public, and it does seem good to see this great body of men and women banded together doing such a noble work. It is really worth while and I congratulate you upon the work which you are doing. I extend to you again a very hearty welcome to our city and I trust that your stay will be such that just as soon as you can you will see to it that you return to Pittsfield and give us another convention as early as possible. I thank you."

At the conclusion of Mayor Flynn's address, the High Chief Ranger introduced Mayor Sullivan of Worcester as follows: "As I said in introducing the previous speaker, we have of our faith men who are well able to preside over the destiny of any city of the Commonwealth. Today we have with us the Mayor from the Heart of the Commonwealth, a man well-known to many of you, and who has on previous occasions addressed our annual Convention. At this time it gives me great pleasure to present to you Mayor Peter F. Sullivan of Worcester."

ADDRESS OF HON. PETER F. SULLIVAN, MAYOR OF WORCESTER

"Worthy High Chief Ranger, Reverend Fathers, Mayor of Pittsfield, Ladies and Gentlemen: I appreciate this greeting from you. I was having a little sleep when my good friend Father Conaty spoke, but I thought I heard him mention Worcester. Of course, both he and the Mayor of this city have paid me a few compliments, but I told them to do it, so it is all right, and now I ought to say something for the City of Pittsfield and its good Catholic people. My good friend Father Conaty spoke of the Alps of America, and that has given me a thought. Leaving Worcester at sunrise and coming along in the train set me to thinking of the story of the traveler trying to climb the Alps to reach the hospital of the Monks of St. Bernard on that mountain top. Night was descending as the train climbed higher and higher, just as though a stair had been let down for it from heaven itself, and I felt that I had climbed the Alps of America in coming to fair Pittsfield to meet the Monk of St. Bernard—Father Bernard Conaty. My good friends, this is a splendid sight, well worth my trip from Worcester. Of course my good friend, High Vice-Chief Ranger, James E. O'Leary, insisted on my coming along here. This is O'Leary Avenue all the way up, with our good Bishop O'Leary in Springfield. As the Mayor of Pittsfield touched on, you are here in the open, you welcome all reporters and

the good people of this fair city. God grant that this good work may continue. Do you know that nine-tenths of the population of the world today is, if not in open revolt, in a state of complete unrest—China, Russia, India, and our own little Ireland, too, and much falls to your lot to hold up our flag and our faith. You have done the work, you have heeded the call to the flag and the whole state. A few weeks ago down in Worcester five thousand members of the Knights of Columbus marched the streets of the city at 8 o'clock in the morning to old St. Anne Church and received holy communion, and as I marched at the head of that body on returning from the church the thought came to me, we are in a safe city, we are safe in the nation when this body of men with Christ in their souls is my body guard, the citizens' body guard, America's body guard, the flag's body guard, and as they appeared before me, as you do now, I thought then there are indeed happy moments in my life when I could rise from a newsboy of the streets to a position when I receive the consideration of the business and banking interests of the city and twice elected mayor, and on the last election was serenaded by three bands and six thousand people. We have in the city of Worcester a bank to help our young men get established in business. It is as difficult for them to succeed without a bank as for the soldier to make bullets without powder and shell, and so the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, the K. of C. and your own High Vice-Chief Ranger, Mr. O'Leary, formed a corporation and allowed the young people of the city to buy stock in it and today it is a flourishing institution and we have passed the one million mark without advertising in a single newspaper. It is nice to be mayor of a city, but it is still greater to do something for the young men of a city. I thank you members of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters of Worcester for the great and good work you are doing. God speed you on your worthy mission. Stand fast for honor and for faith."

ADDRESS OF HIGH CHIEF RANGER THOMAS F. HALEY

To the Representatives to the Forty-third Annual Session of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

Reverend Father, Sister and Brother Representatives:—

In accordance with the laws and customs that have heretofore prevailed, I beg to submit in a general way the progress the Organization has made during the past year, and to present to you for careful consideration, a few recommendations, that will tend to strengthen and expand the future usefulness of the Order.

MEMBERSHIP

The year 1921 was one of great industrial depression, and I am pleased to report that the Order has made a very substantial increase in membership, despite the condition that has confronted us.

During the year we received 3142 applications, of which 2782 were approved, and 360 rejected. While our death rate was normal, there being 545 deaths, our loss through suspension this year was most appalling, there being 847 members suspended.

Our net increase during the year was 1279 members, and the total membership of the Order on December 31, 1921, was 52,425 members.

The average age of the 2782 new members admitted was 29.5 years, and the average age of the entire Order was 42.3 years, which was the lowest average since 1917.

The following table shows the Massachusetts membership of Fraternal Organizations on December 31, 1921, with gain or loss during the year 1921, as taken from the Insurance Commissioner's official reports, and is furnished so that you may know the relative strength of the different Orders and what they accomplished during the past year:

	Membership	Gain	Loss
Mass. Catholic Order of Foresters	52,375	1,280	....
Knights of Columbus (Insurance)	26,812	1,685	....
Ancient Order of United Workmen	20,834	....	293
L'Union St. Jean Baptiste of Am.	18,012	685	....
Ind. Order Brith Abraham	14,975	....	1,061
New England Order of Protection	13,180	....	72
Royal Arcanum	9,088	....	479
La Societe Des Artisans of Canadia	7,964	....	14
Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Ass'n.	7,900	509	....
Portuguese Fraternity of the U. S.	5,218	236	....
Catholic Order of Foresters	5,196	47	....
Royal Clan, Order of Scottish Clans	5,183	....	127
Home Benefit Association	3,701	....	212
United Order of the Golden Cross ..	3,691	....	106
Ind. Workmen's Circle	3,626	....	338
Royal Michaelense Antonomie Benefit Ass'n.	2,442	....	121
Grand Lodge Degree of Honor	2,192	22	....
Knights of Pythias	1,864	35	....
American Benefit Society	869	....	14
Catholic Fraternal League	814	61	....
La Societe L'Assumption	663	....	43
United Order of the Golden Star ..	544	....	57
Am. Order of Scottish Clans	413	....	35
Catholic Knights of America	79	....	1

FINANCES

Your High Standing Committee has issued during the year twelve mortuary assessments, amounting to $679,877.54 and from which the sum of $539,792.86 has been paid in mortuary claims. Since the institution of the Order, we have paid into the homes of our departed members over $9,200,000.

In the General Fund the receipts from all sources have been $44,157.40, and the cost of management per member has been 71 cents.

The Emergency Fund, which on December 31, 1921, amounted to $1,520,643.21, is ever growing, to the satisfaction of all, and during the year the increase to this fund amounted to $263,524.09.

SECRETARIES' MEETINGS

The High Standing Committee, during the past year, has held conferences with the Financial and Recording Secretaries of the Subordinate Courts in various parts of the State, for the purpose of promoting efficiency between these officers and the High Standing Committee. These meetings were largely attended, and many errors previously made in relation to applications, suspensions, beneficiaries, notifications, certificates, etc., were explained, and the results of these meetings are most beneficial in every respect.

NEW COURTS

During the past year there have been instituted two new Courts. Reverend Anthony J. Rossi Court, No. 270, of Brighton, with fifty-two charter members, whose average age was 27.3 years, is composed of women, and was instituted on February 6, 1921.

Daniel A. Cronin Court, No. 271, of Egleston Square, with

twenty-five charter members, whose average age was 29.9 years, is composed of women and was instituted on December 29, 1921.

ANNUAL SESSIONS

The place for holding the Annual Session of the High Court is one of the best features in the upbuilding of our great Order, and as we look to the great Forestry centers of Boston, Worcester, Springfield and Holyoke, our growth in membership in these cities has been largely due to these Annual Sessions.

Our meeting this year in Pittsfield will be of great benefit to the Foresters of this city, and to your High Standing Committee in the establishment of new courts in the towns of this section, namely, North Adams, Williamstown, Dalton, Great Barrington, Huntington, Lenox and Lee.

We have several large Catholic cities in our State, where this Annual Session might be held, namely, Fall River, Taunton, New Bedford, Brockton, Gloucester, Haverhill, Lawrence and Lowell, and I feel that the Order will benefit materially in these places, providing, the Courts in these localities were given some financial assistance in arranging the necessary details.

I would recommend that the High Standing Committee be authorized to expend, under their direction, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500) for this purpose.

SUSPENSIONS

As I have previously stated, the great loss of 847 members by suspension, demands our most serious attention. The Relief Committee appointed by the Chief Ranger under Article VI, Section 3, of the Subordinate Court Constitution, should investigate every delinquent member before suspension becomes operative, and endeavor to prevent this loss, which, in 90 per cent of the cases, is gross neglect on the part of the member. I trust you will co-operate in this matter, and protect the homes and families of these careless members.

SAFEGUARDING OF RECORDS

On previous occasions you have been informed of the necessity of safeguarding the records at the Headquarters of our Order. I believe that the Order has outgrown its present quarters, which are inadequate, and unsanitary, and afford very little safety for our records in case of fire.

Under the Revised Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Chapter 119, Section 7, we are allowed to invest in a building to be used and occupied by the Corporation, as its home office, not more than twenty per cent (20%) of its Emergency Fund. At the present time, under this statute, we would be able to invest $304,128.65 in such a building. I feel that I would not be performing my duty, without calling your attention to this state of affairs, and placing the responsibility where it belongs.

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE

The investigating of all applicants for membership in our Order is of the most vital importance, and your attention has been directed to this great work on previous occasions. Proposers should inform the applicants of a thorough investigation by the Investigating Committee of the local Court, and a further investigation at Headquarters, and that all statements, concerning age, occupation, habits, family and personal history, must be correct. This also applies to marriages, concerning the date of marriage and by whom the marriage was performed. In many instances the applicants fail to give their haptismal names, causing much delay in making the necessary investigation.

DEGREE STAFFS

It is a source of pride when we witness the young men and women who give so much of their time to the formation of the various degree staffs in the Organization. The High Standing Committee greatly appreciates the interest taken by the members of the Degree Staffs in assisting at the installation and initiation exercises, and the sacrifices which they have made in preparing themselves for this work. I trust that the Courts will encourage this work by holding public installations and in consequence attract many people to become members of our Order.

In conclusion, let me express my sincere thanks to the Deputy High Chief Rangers, the Deputies at Large, the Finance Committee, and the members of the High Standing Committee, for the valuable assistance they have given me during the term of my office. To you, sister and brother delegates, I tender my most sincere and heartfelt thanks, for the honors you have conferred upon me and the many courtesies shown on various occasions in the past. And to you, my successor, I will transfer the duties and responsibilities of my honored office, and pray that you may be blessed with good health and strength to carry on our noble work.

THOMAS F. HALEY,
High Chief Ranger.

Report of the High Medical Examiner Francis J. Hanley, M. D.

At the Forty-third Annual Session of the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, Wednesday, May 24, 1922

Sisters and Brothers:

The report which I submit for your earnest consideration contains information of such vital importance that time spent in perusal and study is strongly advised. Particular attention is directed to the various tables which are placed in such form as to be easily understood; and as they contain the vital facts that make a complete history for the past year, much can be gleaned that will enlighten and instruct the interested member. Especially is this so when the tables are considered under their respective headings, and the proper analysis and deductions made in reference to them.

During the year 1921 we received 3142 applications for admission into our Order, 1635 women and 1507 men. Of this number 360 applications were declined (191 women and 169 men). Causes of rejection are shown on the special table in this report.

MORTUARY TABLE

CAUSE OF DEATH	AGE AT DEATH												Total Men	Total Women	Grand Total
	Men 20 to 30	Women 20 to 30	Men 30 to 40	Women 30 to 40	Men 40 to 50	Women 40 to 50	Men 50 to 60	Women 50 to 60	Men 60 to 70	Women 60 to 70	Men 70 and over	Women 70 and over			
GENERAL DISEASES															
Anaemia	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	4	0	0	0	0			
Cancer	1	0	1	5	7	3	13	12	15	2	4	0			
Typhoid Fever	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Septicaemia	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0			
Tuberculosis	2	5	6	6	16	6	7	2	5	1	0	0			
Diabetes	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	1	1	1	0			
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	2	1	0			
Total	4	6	8	13	25	11	27	21	23	6	6	0	93	57	150
CIRCULATORY															
Arterio Sclerosis	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	11	2	19	1			
Heart Disease	2	0	3	5	8	8	16	6	22	7	20	3			
Miscellaneous	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	2	0	4	5	10	9	20	6	33	9	39	4	108	33	141
RESPIRATORY															
Bronchitis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	0			
Pneumonia	2	0	6	4	9	5	6	4	8	2	2	1			
Influenza	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Miscellaneous	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0			
Total	2	0	7	4	11	5	7	7	10	2	4	1	41	19	60
GENITO URINARY															
Kidney	0	1	1	3	3	2	4	5	6	3	3	0			
Prostatis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0			
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	0	1	1	4	3	2	4	5	9	3	3	0	20	15	35
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM															
Peritonitis	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Disease of Intestines	1	0	0	1	1	1	5	1	1	2	0	0			
Disease of Liver	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	3	2	1	1	0			
Disease of Stomach	0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	1	1	1	0			
Total	1	2	0	3	6	5	10	6	4	4	2	0	23	20	43
NERVOUS SYSTEM															
Disease of Brain	0	0	0	0	1	7	5	1	1	0	3	0			
Apoplexy	0	0	1	1	4	0	7	3	11	5	15	3			
Spinal Cord	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Meningitis	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	0			
Appendicitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Miscellaneous	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0			
Total	0	0	3	2	7	7	15	5	14	6	18	3	57	23	80
VIOLENT DEATH															
Accident	3	0	2	0	3	1	5	0	7	2	2	0			
Suicide	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	3	0	2	0	5	1	8	0	7	2	2	0	27	3	30
INCIDENT TO CHILDBIRTH	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
DECLARED DEAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		1
													370	175	545

The following table shows the number of deaths in members who were less than one and two years in our Order. In 1921 there were twenty-six deaths in this class, eight members (four men and four women) were members less than one year and eighteen members (ten women and eight men) were in the Order between one and two years.

Investigation shows that most of these deaths were unavoidable though we feel satisfied that a more careful investigation of applicants would aid materially in reducing our mortality in members less than two years in the Order.

EARLY DEATHS

(Less than one year)

	Men	Women
Accident	2	0
Pneumonia	1	0
Ulcer of Stomach	0	1
Disease of Heart	0	2
Acute Tuberculosis	0	1
Pulmonary Hemorrhage	1	0
	4	4

(Over one year, less than two years)

	Men	Women
Accident	2	0
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1	5
Pneumonia	4	0
Cerebral Spinal Meningitis	1	0
Acute Nephritis	0	2
Cancer Uterus	0	3
	8	10

REJECTION TABLE

	Men	Women	Total
Over age limit	27	55	82
Hernia	4		4
Over and underweight	15	33	48
Pulmonary	13		13
Personal condition	20	28	48
Family history	14	19	33
Hazardous occupation	7		7
Failed to complete examination	5	3	8
Personal history	5	6	11
Diabetic	2	1	3
Doubtful statements	3	4	7
Nephritis	13	10	23
Bronchial Asthma	1		1
Cardiac	37	27	64
Doubtful age	1	4	5
Chronic Disease of Ear	2		2
Doubtful risks		1	1
	169	191	360

To overcome a condition noticed some years back and frequently referred to in our reports, changes have been made in our application forms and in other ways, in our effort to arouse the Courts to the gravity of this condition our earnest counsel has been given. The results of our best efforts have not been satisfactory. No change in the attitude of the Courts can be discerned. Something must be done and a remedy must be found. We cannot allow the work formerly done by our Investigating Committees to be entirely dispensed with. The problem must be met. Its importance must be driven home to each Court in a manner so sustained that results will follow.

The reason why this should be done is self evident as the very existence of this constant and ever-growing menace must be deplored. Consider the growth of our Order which has been wonderful as to the number enrolled and the few faithful members who assist in making proper reports to this office, as to the qualifications of the applicant. Without the assistance of the Court many cases have arisen where scrutiny has shown a condition worse than neglect.

The Courts are again asked to take more interest in this matter, and to be prepared to so adjust the business in relation to future applications that care in selection will not be so clearly disregarded.

Specific instructions are to be given the Deputies and a rigorous campaign started, to the end that each Court will act according to a plan that will, we trust, make the Investigating of candidates a work not of levity or indifference but of seriously matured and intelligently directed interest, inspired by a desire to build up a solid and substantial membership. A necessary requirement to have for the work of today—and our safest, if not our only bulwark for the coming years.

Our Medical Examiners have been most faithful in their work, and to them our gratitude is expressed.

Our good work carries on in a most pleasing way. Confidence, the bedrock of our reliance, remains unshaken. Our ranks are firmly held by young and reliant men and women. Earnestness and devotion to the cause is clearly manifested. With this our future looks bright indeed. We ask for cooperation in our work, with that future in mind, and voice the hope that our efforts will bring great and lasting results, accruing not from the effectiveness of our united effort only, but to the permanent stability and future greatness of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS J. HANLEY,

High Medical Examiner.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE HIGH COURT

Sisters and Brothers:

The Trustees of the High Court beg leave to submit the following report for your consideration:

Balance in the hands of the Trustees, December 31, 1920		$1,257,119 12
From High Secretary-Treasurer, Emergency Assessments	107,086 25	
Net earnings from investments for the year 1921	56,437 84	
		$1,420,643 21
Transferred from Mortuary Fund	100,000 00	
Balance in Emergency Fund, December 31, 1921		$1,520,643 21

Invested as follows:

Municipal, State and Government Bonds	$1,022,391 37
First Mortgage Loans	330,393 32
Old Colony Trust Company (on deposit)	85,824 88
Second National Bank (on deposit)	52,023 51
New England Trust Company (on deposit)	15,151 66
Federal Trust Company (on deposit)	10,358 87
Essex National Bank of Haverhill (on deposit)	3,621 33
Union Institution for Savings (on deposit)	878 27
	$1,520,643 21

The notes on the ninety-eight (98) mortgages call for $330,398.32. The assessed valuation of the mortgaged property May 1, 1921, was $704,475.00, and the insurance on the buildings amounted to $500,900.00.

The cost price of the several bonds was $1,022,391.37, and the par value $1,088,500.00.

The net receipts from January 1, to April 1, 1922, were $11,618.40, making the total amount in the Emergency Fund, April 1, 1922, $1,532,261.61.

The net receipts from April 1, have been $9,276.06. The total amount in the Emergency Fund in the hands of the Trustees at the time of making up this report, May 1, 1922, was $1,541,537.67, invested as follows:

Municipal, State and Government Bonds, cost price	$1,165,145 02
First Mortgage Loans	344,543 32
Old Colony Trust Company (on deposit)	30,971 06
Union Institution for Savings (on deposits)	878 27
	$1,541,537 67

The difference in the mortgage loans between December 31, 1921 and May 1, 1922, is accounted for by the payments of $950.00 on account of mortgage notes, and new loans amounting to $15,100.00.

Since December 31, 1921, there have been maturities of bonds owned by the Order, the cost price of which was $45,-202.65, and the Order has purchased bonds, the cost price being $187,956.30.

An inspection of the securities contained in the private vault of the Security Safe Deposit and Trust Company was made by the Finance Committee, who reported that all bonds and mortgages owned by the Order were contained therein, and a certificate from the auditor of the Old Colony Trust Company that the balance to the credit of the Order was $30,971.06 as shown by the books of the High Secretary-Treasurer.

The various estates upon which the mortgage loans have been made were inspected by the Trustees, the High Chief Ranger and the High Secretary-Treasurer, during the year and found to be in fairly good condition, and we are of the opinion that the Order is amply protected.

Respectfully yours,

PATRICK F. BURKE, St. Gregory Court, No. 24.
GEORGE WIRTH, Holy Trinity Court, No. 51.
JOHN J. LYNCH, Bunker Hill Court, No. 126.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR THE CONVENTION

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Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan, Cathedral Court No. 1
Patrick F. Collins, Essex Court No. 16
Jeremiah G. Fennessey, St. James Court No. 54, Chairman
P. Sarsfield Cunniff, Middlesex Court No. 60
Mrs. Carrie H. Long, St. Loretta Court No. 124
James H. Benson, John J. Leonard Court No. 238

COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

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Joseph H. Bonner, Leo Court No. 5
John T. Kennedy, Sherwood Court No. 8
James Lavery, Sarsfield Court No. 48
Miss Minnie Murphy, Onota Court No. 98
Mary V. Moran, St. Elizabeth Court No. 103
Miss Annie Campbell, Fr. Denvir Court No. 139

COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

David F. Roche, Chairman, Merrimac Court No. 72
Mrs. Helen M. Pendergast, St. Francis Court No. 25
John C. Farnon, Worcester Court No. 59
Thomas H. Finan, St. Lawrence Court No. 61
Frank B. Coughlin, St. Catherine Court No. 62
Mrs. Ellen F. Driscoll, St. Clare Court No. 106
Mrs. Mary Duignan, Fr. Conway Court No. 136

COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE ORDER

William H. Thomas, Chairman, Middlesex Court No. 60
John S. Conaty, Taunton Court No. 73
Miss Katherine G. Fitzgerald, St. Valerian Court No. 111
Mrs. Catherine Foley, St. Loretta Court No. 124
Mrs. Mabel Fennessey, St. Ambrose Court No. 172
Peter M. Gilfoyle, Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173
Francis P. Brennan, Edward Everett Court No. 255

COMMITTEE ON SECRET WORK

John W. Connelly, Chairman, St. Peter Court No. 18
Daniel J. Kinnally, SS. Peter & Paul Court No. 15
Timothy F. Shea, John Boyle O'Reilly Court No. 79
Stephen J. O'Brien, John Henry Newman Court No. 83
Miss Irene L. Neafsey, Fr. McNulty Court No. 179
Thomas H. Lovett, McDermott Court No. 186
Miss Ethel McTearnan, Howard Court No. 188

COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS

Hon. William J. Sullivan, Chairman, SS. Peter & Paul Court No. 15
Frank J. Long, St. Francis Court No. 4
Garrett H. Keefe, Mt. Pleasant Court No. 20
Thomas F. Mulcahy, St. John Court No. 23

John J. Scanlon, George Washington Court No. 85
Miss Annie M. McGovern, Alma Mater Court No. 114
Mrs. Cecelia N. Quinn, Martha Washington Court No. 116

COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS

Ambrose J. Woods, Chairman, St. Francis Court No. 4
George W. Boylan, Fenwick Court No. 3
Timothy J. Mahoney, Iona Court No. 10
Patrick H. McCarthy, Lafayette Court No. 14
Michael J. Shannon, Williams Court No. 19
William E. McCarthy, Americus Court No. 34.
Patrick J. Crowley, Friendship Court No. 37
Achille J. Hilbrunner, Holy Trinity Court No. 51
John J. Keating, Worcester Court No. 59
Mary Murphy, St. Catherine Court No. 62
Frank E. Greene, Rockland Court No. 90
Mary A. McGovern, St. Clare Court No. 106
Mary Woods, Notre Dame Court No. 107
Mrs. Katherine Frame, St. Theresa Court No. 109
Helen M. Donoghue, St. Valerian Court No. 111
Margaret L. Delaney, Assumption Court No. 157
Mrs. Elizabeth V. McGlinchey, St. Winifred Court No. 174
John E. Murphy, Fr. McNulty Court No. 179
John F. Golden, De La Salle Court No. 194
Mrs. Helen C. Galvin, St. Victorian Court No. 206
Mary E. Carroll, Brookline Court No. 208
Martin C. Neilson, St. Luke Court No. 211
Mrs. Annie T. Coveney, Pentecost Court No. 221
Mary Dugan, All Saints Court No. 227
John J. Lysaght, St. Brendan Court No. 235
Frank L. Larkin, Bishop Stang Court No. 236
Mrs. Mary C. McNulty, Fr. Sherry Court No. 251
Mrs. Margaret A. Harrington, Lady of Grace Court No. 257
William B. Moran, Presentation Court No. 258

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Mary Nash

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Representatives of the Forty-third Annual Convention, Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

Complying with the requirements of the Constitution, the Finance Committee make the following report for the year ending December 31, 1921:

MORTUARY FUND

Balance cash on hand January 1, 1921.....	$141,349 98
Received for assessments during the year....	679,877 54
Interest on bank balances.....	6,926 77
Total Receipts with balance.....	$828,154 29

Paid to beneficiaries during the year	$539,792 86	
Transferred to Emergency Fund	100,000 00	639,792 86
Balance cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1921		$188,361 43

EMERGENCY FUND

Receipts for the year and paid to Trustees	$107,086 25
Transferred from Mortuary Fund	100,000 00
	$207,086 25

GENERAL FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1921	$11,802 19
Receipts for the year	43,761 31
Interest on bank balances	396 09
Total receipts with balance	$55,959 59
Expenditures for the year as per vouchers	38,962 50
Balance cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1921	$16,997 09

The Committee made a thorough examination of the books of the High Secretary-Treasurer and verified the receipts, also the expenditures, from the various funds as shown by vouchers and bills on file. Statements received from the several banks showing the balances credited to the different funds were compared with check book balances and found correct. The cash in office of the High Secretary-Treasurer was counted and also found correct.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

The Committee audited the books of the Trustees to December 31, 1921, and report as follows:

Balance Emergency Fund, Jan. 1, 1921		$1,257,119 12
Received from High-Secretary-Treasurer	107,086 25	
Transferred from Mortuary Fund	100,000 00	
Net income from Investments	54,948 43	
Interest on bank balances	1,489 41	
Total Emergency Fund, Dec. 31, 1921		$1,520,643 21

INVESTMENTS

Bonds	$1,022,391 37
Mortgages on Real Estate	330,393 32
Deposits in banks	167,858 52
Total	$1,520,643 21

Your Committee personally examined the bonds and mortgages now deposited in the private box of the Order at the Security Safe Deposit and Trust Company vaults, and found them correct as represented by the books of the Trustees. The mortgages on Real Estate are fully covered by insurance.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee in connection with this report respectfully recommend the following:

1. That a per capita assessment of seventy-five (75) cents be levied for the year 1922-23.
2. That the salary of the High Secretary-Treasurer be Four Thousand (4,000) dollars for the year 1922-23.
3. That the High Secretary-Treasurer be allowed Eight thousand seven hundred fifty (8,750) dollars for clerical hire for the year 1922-23, under the supervision of the High Standing Committee.
4. That the Finance Committee be empowered to employ an expert accountant, if in their judgment the best interests of the Order require it, under their supervision.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. F. KELLEY
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN
JAMES A. DESMOND
Finance Committee

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Committee complying with Article XII, Section 8, of the Constitution, have audited the books of the High Secretary-Treasurer for the quarter ending March 31, 1922, and report as follows:

MORTUARY FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1922	$188,361 43
Received for assessments	170,599 80
Interest	1,709 32
Total receipts with balance	$360,670 55
Paid to beneficiaries	177,683 34
Balance cash on hand, March 31, 1922	$182,987 21

EMERGENCY FUND

Receipts	$679 50
Paid to Trustees	679 50

GENERAL FUND

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1922	$16,997 09
Receipts	789 75
Interest	105 28
Total receipts with balance	$17,892 12
Expenditures	8,146 96
Balance cash on hand, March 31, 1922	$9,745 16

The Committee audited the books of the trustees for the quarter ending March 31, 1922, and report as follows:

EMERGENCY FUND

Balance Emergency Fund, January 1, 1922	$1,520,643 21
Received from High Secretary-Treasurer	679 50
Net Income from Investments	10,938 90
Total Emergency Fund, Mar. 31, '22	$1,532,261 61

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. F. KELLEY
ANNIE F. SULLIVAN,
JAMES A. DESMOND
Finance Committee

COMMUNICATIONS

The Reverend Chaplain General, Father O'Neil, read the following letter from His Eminence, the Cardinal:

ARCHBISHOP'S HOUSE, GRANBY STREET
BOSTON

May 20th, 1922.

Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., Chaplain General,
Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters,
East Boston, Mass.

Dear Doctor O'Neil:

I exceedingly regret that, owing to the many diocesan affairs demanding my attention after my return from Rome,

I find it impossible to accept your kind invitation to attend the Foresters' Convention in Pittsfield on May 24th.

I take this occasion to assure you again of my deep interest in the welfare of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, and I am very happy to learn that the society has had a successful year.

Very sincerely yours,

WILLIAM CARDINAL O'CONNELL.

The High Secretary-Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester read communications from His Excellency Channing H. Cox, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, His Honor James M. Curley, Mayor of the City of Boston, and Reverend Father Daniel H. Tully, regretting their inability to be present at the Forty-third Annual Session. On a motion duly made and seconded it was voted that the communications be accepted and placed on file.

High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley: "In order to save time in the presentation of addresses by the High Chief Ranger, the High Secretary-Treasurer, and the High Medical Examiner, the Chair will entertain a motion that these reports be accepted as printed and referred to the various committees." On a motion duly made and seconded it was voted that the addresses and reports of the High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley, High Secretary-Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester, and High Medical Examiner Francis J. Hanley, M.D., be accepted and adopted as printed.

Brother John T. Callan of Leo Court No. 5 made the following motion which was duly seconded: "Representatives to the Forty-third Annual Session are deeply grateful for the presence here this morning of His Honor, the Mayor of Pittsfield, and that we express to him our sincere appreciation for his kindness in extending to the delegates the hospitality of the City of Pittsfield by a rising vote of thanks." The motion was unanimously carried.

Corporation Counsel Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1 addressed the Convention as follows: "High Chief Ranger, Father Conaty is about to leave the hall, and I know that it is the convention's desire to give expression of its appreciation to him because of his goodness and kindness. From the time it was decided to have the convention here, the Order received the most splendid support from that fearless champion of our people here in this beautiful City of Pittsfield. I know you are all greatly pleased at his presence here, and I know you have been deeply edified at all that he has said to you, and I think we owe him a deep debt of gratitude for the untiring assistance he has given to the members and officers of the local court and to the High Standing Committee in arranging for this convention, and I move you, High Chief Ranger, that we accord him an expression of our thanks and gratitude by a rising vote." The motion was unanimously carried.

On motion by Corporation Counsel Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, seconded by Brother James Cullinane of Fitzpatrick Court No. 13, it was voted that the reports of the officers be received as printed.

On a motion made by Brother Thomas F. Kelley of St. Jerome Court No. 113, duly seconded, it was voted that the report of the High Finance Committee be received as printed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley announced that arrangements had been made with the officials of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, Boston & Albany Division, for a special train to leave Pittsfield at 6 o'clock Thursday evening, and that a representative of the railroad company would be at the Armory after lunch to validate the reduced fare tickets and to make Pullman reservations for delegates who wished to do so.

PETITIONS

Sister Elizabeth G. Sweeney of St. Kevin Court No. 253 presented the following petition: "The undersigned representative of St. Kevin Court No. 253 respectfully petitions for the passage of legislation or the adoption of an order which will define the meaning of that part of Section 2, Article II, High Court Constitution, which states that each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one or more Past Chief Rangers as representatives, there now being doubt as to whether such provision permits the election of a less number of delegates than the Court may be entitled to according to its numerical total of membership." On a motion duly made and seconded, it was voted that the petition from Sister Sweeney be referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Brother George A. Thomson of John Boyle O'Reilly Court No. 79 proposed the following changes in the secret work. First proposal: "The opening ceremonies, that the hymn 'The Cross and the Flag' by Cardinal O'Connell be substituted for the present 'Ode to Unity.' Second proposal: In the initiatory ceremonies, final instructions by the Past Chief Ranger. Re-write the whole instruction eliminating the secret signs of recognizing a Forester." On motion of Brother John L. Hayes of Essex Court No. 16, duly seconded, it was voted that the proposed changes in the secret work be referred to the Committee on Secret Work.

NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

On motion by High Inside Sentinel John H. O'Hara of Essex Court No. 16, duly seconded, it was voted that where there is no contest for office, the nominating speeches be limited to two minutes, and that there be no seconding speeches allowed; and where there is a contest that the nominating speeches be limited to five minutes.

For High Chief Ranger: Past High Chief Ranger John F. Harrigan of McCafferty Court No. 100 presented the name of Brother James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59, seconded by Sister Carrie H. Long of St. Loretta Court No. 124.

On motion of Brother James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184 it was voted that nominations for the office of High Chief Ranger be closed.

For High Vice-Chief Ranger: Past High Chief Ranger James H. Benson of John J. Leonard Court No. 238 presented the name of Brother John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238.

On motion of Sister Kathryn G. Fitzgerald of St. Valerian Court No. 111 it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Vice-Chief Ranger be closed.

For High Secretary-Treasure: Brother Thomas F. Tremble of Americus Court No. 34 presented the name of Brother Joseph J. Forrester of Americus Court No. 34.

On motion of Brother John B. McCarthy of George Washington Court No. 85, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Secretary-Treasurer be closed.

For High Senior Conductor: Brother James J. Mockler of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of Doctor Helen I. Doherty-McGillicuddy of St. Clare Court No. 106, seconded by Brother Frank B. Cooper of Benedict Court No. 39, and Brother Benjamin J. A. Green of Bunker Hill Court No. 126.

Brother Joseph A. Cahalan of St. Peter Court No. 18 was nominated for the office of High Senior Conductor but not being a Past Chief Ranger was not eligible.

On motion of Brother Michael J. Duggan of St. Malachi Court No. 81, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Senior Conductor be closed.

For High Junior Conductor: Sister Katherine L. McManus of St. Theresa Court No. 109 presented the name of Brother John H. O'Hara, Jr., of Essex Court No. 16.

On a motion of Brother Patrick Collins of Essex Court No. 16, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Junior Conductor be closed.

For High Inside Sentinel: Brother Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126 presented the name of Brother Patrick J. McArdle of Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173.

On motion of Brother Dennis J. Murphy of St. Anthony Court No. 97, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Inside Sentinel be closed.

For High Outside Sentinel: Past High Chief Ranger Charles E. Bonning of Lepanto Court No. 142 presented the name of Brother Thomas E. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10, seconded by Brother Bernard J. Brogan of St. Finbar Court No. 150.

At this time on a motion by Brother Dennis J. Murphy of St. Anthony Court No. 97, duly seconded, it was voted that there be only one seconding speech at each nomination where there is opposition.

Brother Michael J. Dullea of St. Augustine Court No. 46 presented the name of Sister Mary A. Costello of Notre Dame Court No. 107, seconded by Sister Mary A. McGovern of St. Clare Court No. 106.

Brother Thomas McGrath of Union Court No. 89 presented the name of Brother Joseph J. Dobby of Father McNulty Court No. 179, seconded by Brother Michael E. Milan of Brockton Court No. 82.

Brother James F. McCabe of Jamaica Plain Court No. 261 presented the name of Brother Peter A. Welch of St. Francis Court No. 4, seconded by Sister Margaret A. Harrington of Lady of Grace Court No. 257.

Brother James S. Cannon of Middlesex Court No. 60 presented the name of Brother Francis B. McKinney of St. Columbkille Court No. 65, seconded by Brother Michael J. Duggan of St. Malachi Court No. 81.

On a motion duly made and seconded it was voted that nominations for the office of High Outside Sentinel be closed.

For High Medical Examiner: Past High Chief Ranger Jeremiah G. Fennessey of St. James Court No. 54 presented the name of Brother Francis J. Hanley, M.D., of Union Court No. 89, seconded by Sister Ellen F. Driscoll of St. Clare Court No. 106.

On a motion of Sister Elizabeth A. O'Neil of Americus Court No. 34, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Medical Examiner be closed.

For High Court Chaplain: Brother Thomas Fitzpatrick of Leo Court No. 5 presented the name of Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., of Leo Court No. 5, seconded by Brother John Brant of Leo Court No. 5.

On motion of Brother Thomas F. Kelley of St. Jerome Court No. 113, duly seconded, it was voted that the nominations for the office of High Court Chaplain be closed.

For Corporation Counsel: Brother Joseph Arsenault of Cathedral Court No. 1 presented the name of Brother Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, seconded by Brother Michael Duggan of St. Malachi Court No. 81.

On motion of Sister Mary A. McGovern of St. Clare Court No. 106, duly seconded, it was voted the nominations for the office of Corporation Counsel be closed.

For Finance Committee for three years: Brother Bernard J. Brogan of St. Finbar Court No. 150 presented the name of Brother Thomas F. Kelley of St. Jerome Court No. 113.

On motion of Brother Michael J. Duggan of St. Malachi Court No. 81, duly seconded, it was voted the nominations for the Committee on Finance for three years be closed.

For Trustee of the High Court for three years: Brother Timothy J. Cronin of Worcester Court No. 59 presented the name of Brother Patrick F. Burke of St. Gregory Court No. 24.

On motion of Brother James A. Desmond of Columbia Court No. 95, duly seconded, it was voted the nominations for the office of Trustee of the High Court for three years be closed.

On a motion by Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60, seconded by Brother Michael J. Duggan of St. Malachi Court No. 81, it was voted that the High Secretary-Treasurer cast one ballot as the ballot of the Convention for all officers nominated with the exception of the office of High Outside Sentinel, so that the balloting by delegates will be for the office of High Outside Sentinel only.

On a motion by Brother James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184, duly seconded, it was voted that the Convention adjourn until 2.30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order at 3.10 p. m. by High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley.

In accordance with the vote of the Convention, the High Secretary-Treasurer cast one ballot as the ballot of the Convention for the following unopposed candidates:

High Chief Ranger James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59.

High Vice-Chief Ranger John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238.

High Secretary-Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester of Americus Court No. 34.

High Senior Conductor Dr. Helen I. D. McGillicuddy of St. Clare Court No. 106.

High Junior Conductor John H. O'Hara, Jr., of Essex Court No. 16.

High Inside Sentinel Patrick J. McArdle of Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173.

High Medical Examiner Francis J. Hanley, M.D., of Union Court No. 89.

High Court Chaplain Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., Leo Court No. 5.

Corporation Counsel Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1.

Committee on Finance (three years) Thomas F. Kelley of St. Jerome Court No. 113.

Trustee of the High Court (three years) Patrick F. Burke of St. Gregory Court No. 24.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

Brother John J. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, reported as follows: The Convention was entitled to 1024 delegates, representing 251 Courts, and there were present 826 delegates representing 238 Courts, and no contests. On a motion duly made and seconded it was voted that the report of the Committee on Credentials be accepted.

On motion of Brother Thomas M. Fitzpatrick of Leo

Court No. 5 it was voted that we proceed to the election of High Outside Sentinel.

The Committee to Distribute, Receive and Count Ballots assumed their stations and the delegates present were called upon to cast their ballots for the office of High Outside Sentinel.

High Vice-Chief Ranger James E. O'Leary presiding.

The High Vice-Chief Ranger after requesting all delegates present who had not voted to do so, announced that the ballot would close in five minutes. After all delegates present had voted, the High Vice-Chief Ranger declared the ballot closed.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

Proposed for action at the Forty-Third Annual Session of the High Court Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, May 24, 1922.

To the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters:

The Committee on Constitution, appointed by the High Chief Ranger to consider and report upon Constitutional Amendments proposed for the consideration and action of the Annual Session of the High Court, has considered the amendments herein presented, and submits the recommendations thereto appended.

THOMAS F. HALEY,
High Chief Ranger,
JOSEPH A. SHEEHAN,
Cathedral Ct. No. 1,
PATRICK F. COLLINS,
Essex Court No. 16,
JEREMIAH G. FENNESSEY, (Chairman),
St. James Court No. 54,
P. SARSFIELD CUNNIFF,
Middlesex Ct. No. 60,
CARRIE H. LONG,
St. Loretta Ct. No. 124,
JAMES H. BENSON,
John J. Leonard Ct. No. 238.

Boston, Mass., April 18, 1922.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

1.—Amend Article XII, Section 7, High Court Constitution by striking out the words "sixty" and "thirty" and substituting the words "one hundred and twenty" and "ninety," so the section as amended will read:

"The Committee on Constitution shall consist of the High Chief Ranger and six Representatives to the High Court, who shall be appointed by him in advance of the Annual Session of the High Court. They shall meet between one hundred and twenty and ninety days previous to the Annual Session to receive and consider all proposed amendments to the General Constitution and Rules of the Order. They shall report thereon at the Annual Session and shall recommend such amendments and alterations as may be deemed advisable and in conformity with the general principles of the Order."

Presented by
JOHN J. SCHEUREN,
St. Expedit Court No. 219.

Recommended for rejection.

2.—Amend Article XVI, Section 1, High Court Constitution, by striking out the word "sixty" and substituting the words "one hundred and twenty" paragraph one. In paragraph two, strike out the word "thirty" and substitute the word "sixty," so the section as amended will read:

"The General Constitution shall not be suspended in whole or in part, and shall not be altered or amended except as provided herein. All proposed alterations or amendments shall be presented in writing to the High Secretary-Treasurer not less than one hundred and twenty days before the Annual Session of the High Court.

"The Committee on Constitution shall meet during the recess of the High Court to consider and act upon amendments so proposed, and shall make such recommendations thereon as may be deemed advisable. All proposed amendments, with the action and recommendation of the Committee thereon, shall be printed, and a copy thereof sent to each Subordinate Court sixty days prior to the Annual Session of the High Court. All amendments or alterations shall be submitted to the Annual Session, and shall be adopted only by the votes of not less than two-thirds of the Representatives present and voting."

Presented by
JOHN J. SCHEUREN,
St. Expedit Court No. 219.

Recommended for rejection.

3.—Amend Article VIII, Section 1, High Court Constitution, so that the article as amended shall read:

"There shall be established and controlled by the High Court a fund to be known as the Mortuary Fund, which shall be maintained for the purpose of paying to the widows, husbands, children or relatives of deceased members of the Orders the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000). This amount shall be payable upon the death of any member in good financial standing, to the beneficiary or beneficiaries designated by the members or any other person or persons legally entitled to receive it. In order to insure the payment thereof the members of the Order shall pay assessments to the Mortuary Fund according as such assessments may be levied by the High Standing Committee. Each member shall pay such assessments at a rate which shall be fixed according to age at initiation, and shall continue to be the same until the member shall have paid into the Order forty years, at the end of which time the High Standing Committee shall give him or her a paid up certificate for the rest of his or her life, and said member shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Order, and shall be exempt according to the following table which is the rate payable by members who have not paid into the Order forty years:

From 18 to 25 years of age.....	$ .90
From 25 to 30 years of age.....	1.00
From 30 to 35 years of age.....	1.10
From 35 to 40 years of age.....	1.20
From 40 to 45 years of age.....	1.30

Mortuary Claims for members who have paid into the Order for forty years shall be paid from the Mortuary Fund, or any other source which the High Standing Committee may determine."

Presented by
JOHN F. McKERNAN,
Columbia Court No. 95.

Recommended for rejection.

4.—Amend Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution, by striking out the word "fifty" and insert in place thereof the words "one hundred." Strike out all references to "Past Chief Ranger," so as to read, any "brother or sister" may be elected. The article as amended shall read:

"Each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one brother or one sister as Representative to and member of the High Court and one brother or one sister as Alternate, and one additional brother or sister as Representative and one as Alternate for every one hundred members, or majority fractional part thereof, in excess of the first one hundred. Alternate shall act only in the absence or inability of the regular Representative. Representatives to and members of the High Court shall serve one year. No Brother or Sister shall be elected to the Annual Convention, who does not attend one-third of the meetings which the Court holds during the year. No brother or sister shall be elected to the Annual Convention who has not been a member of the said Subordinate Court one year."

Presented by

JOSEPH A. CAHALAN,

St. Peter Court No. 18.

Recommended for rejection.

5.—Amend Article V, Section 1, High Court Constitution, page 8, line 4, by striking out the words, "by the High Standing Committee," and inserting in place thereof the following words, "by the Representatives to the High Court assembled in Annual Session," so that the section as amended shall read:

"Article V, Section 1. The Annual Session of the High Court shall be held on the fourth Wednesday of May, at the place designated by the Representatives to High Court, assembled in Annual Session, and shall be opened at half past nine o'clock in the forenoon."

Presented by

HUGH J. MARAGHY,

Cheverus Court No. 6.

Recommended for rejection.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley presiding.

On motion of Brother James W. Scanlan of St. Philip Court No. 184, seconded by Brother Thomas H. Lovett of McDermott Court No. 186, it was voted that the Amendments be taken up and acted upon separately.

Corporation Counsel Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1 reported for the Committee on Amendments to the Constitution as follows:

"No. 1—Amend Article XII, Section 7, High Court Constitution by striking out the words 'sixty' and 'thirty' and substituting the words 'one hundred and twenty' and 'ninety', so the section as amended will read: 'The Committee on Constitution shall consist of the High Chief Ranger and six Representatives to the High Court, who shall be appointed by him in advance of the Annual Session of the High Court. They shall meet between one hundred and twenty and ninety days previous to the Annual Session to receive and consider all proposed amendments to the General Constitution and Rules of the Order. They shall report thereon at the Annual Session and shall recommend such amendments and alterations as may be deemed advisable and in conformity with the general principles of the Order.' Presented by John J. Scheuren, St. Expedit Court No. 219. Recommended for rejection."

On motion of Brother Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, duly seconded, after being discussed by Brother John J. Scheuren it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendation for rejection be accepted and adopted.

"No. 2—Amend Article XVI, Section 1, High Court Constitution, by striking out the word 'sixty' and substituting the words 'one hundred and twenty', paragraph one. In paragraph two, strike out the word 'thirty' and substitute the word 'sixty', so the section as amended will read: 'The General Constitution shall not be suspended in whole or in part, and shall not be altered or amended except as provided herein. All proposed alterations or amendments shall be presented in writing to the High Secretary-Treasurer not less than one hundred and twenty days before the Annual Session of the High Court.

" 'The Committee on Constitution shall meet during the recess of the High Court to consider and act upon amendments so proposed, and shall make such recommendations thereon as may be deemed advisable. All proposed amendments, with the action and recommendation of the Committee thereon, shall be printed, and a copy thereof sent to each Subordinate Court sixty days prior to the Annual Session of the High Court. All amendments or alterations shall be submitted to the Annual Session, and shall be adopted only by the votes of not less than two-thirds of the Representatives present and voting.' Presented by John J. Scheuren, St. Expedit Court No. 219. Recommended for rejection."

On motion of Brother Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, duly seconded, after being discussed by Brother John J. Scheuren, it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendation for rejection be accepted and adopted.

"No. 3—Amend Article VIII, Section 1, High Court Constitution, so that the article as amended shall read: 'There shall be established and controlled by the High Court a fund to be known as the Mortuary Fund, which shall be maintained for the purpose of paying to the widows, husbands, children or relatives of deceased members of the Order the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000). This amount shall be payable upon the death of any member in good financial standing, to the beneficiary or beneficiaries designated by the member or any other person or persons legally entitled to receive it. In order to insure the payment thereof the members of the Order shall pay assessments to the Mortuary Fund according as such assessments may be levied by the High Standing Committee. Each member shall pay such assessments at a rate which shall be fixed according to age at initiation, and shall continue to be the same until the member shall have paid into the Order forty years, at the end of which time the High Standing Committee shall give him or her a paid-up certificate for the rest of his or her life, and said member shall be entitled to all the benefits of the Order and shall be exempt according to the following table which is the rate payable by members who have not paid into the Order forty years:

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Mortuary Claims for members who have paid into the Order for forty years shall be paid from the Mortuary Fund, or any other source which the High Standing Committee may determine.' Presented by John F. McKernan, Columbia Court No. 95. Recommended for rejection."

After being discussed by Brothers Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, Denis Kennedy of Columbia Court No. 95, Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, John F. McKernan of Columbia Court No. 95, John T. Callan of Leo Court No. 5, John Brant of Leo Court No. 5, Benjamin J. A. Green of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, on motion of Brother John Brant of Leo Court No. 5, seconded by Brother Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, it was voted that the report of the Committee and its recommendation for rejection be accepted and adopted.

"No. 4—Amend Article II, Section 2, High Court Constitution, by striking out the word 'fifty' and insert in place thereof the words 'one hundred.' Strike out all references to 'Past Chief Ranger,' so as to read, 'any brother or sister' may be elected. The Article as amended shall read: 'Each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one brother or one sister as Representative to and member of the High Court and one brother or one sister as Alternate, and one additional brother or sister as Representative and one as Alternate for every one hundred members, or majority fractional part thereof, in excess of the first one hundred. Alternate shall act only in the absence or inability of the regular Representative. Representatives to and members of the High Court shall serve one year. No Brother or Sister shall be elected to the Annual Convention, who does not attend one-third of the meetings which the Court holds during the year. No brother or sister shall be elected to the Annual Convention who has not been a member of the said Subordinate Court one year.' Presented by Joseph A. Cahalan, St. Peter Court No. 18. Recommended for rejection."

On a motion by Brother Joseph A. Coyle of Leo Court No. 5, duly seconded, it was voted that Amendment No. 4 to the Constitution be indefinitely postponed.

The High Chief Ranger suspended further discussion on amendments to the Constitution to allow Sister Helen M. Donoghue of St. Valerian Court No. 111 to report for the Committee on Elections. Sister Helen M. Donoghue reported for the Committee on Elections as follows:

Total number of votes cast	792
Necessary for a choice	397
Sister Mary A. Costello	277
Brother Joseph J. Dobby	46
Brother Francis B. McKinney	68
Brother Thomas E. Tracey	128
Brother Peter A. Welsh	272
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There being no choice on motion of Brother John T. Callan of Leo Court No. 5, duly seconded, it was voted that the regular order of business be suspended and that the Convention proceed to the election of High Outside Sentinel.

At this time Brother Thomas Neville of St. Columbkille Court No. 65 withdrew the name of Brother Francis B. McKinney of St. Columbkille Court No. 65 as a candidate for the office of High Outside Sentinel.

Brother Frank A. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10 withdrew the name of Brother Thomas E. Tracey of Iona Court No. 10 as a candidate for the office of High Outside Sentinel.

The Committee to Distribute, Receive and Count Ballots having assumed their stations the polls were declared open and the delegates were requested to vote. After all had voted the polls were declared closed.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS CONTINUED

"No. 5—Amend Article V, Section 1, High Court Constitution, page 8, line 4, by striking out the words, 'by the High Standing Committee' and inserting in place thereof the following words, 'by the Representatives to the High Court assembled in Annual Session,' so that the section as amended shall read: 'Article V, Section 1. The Annual Session of the High Court shall be held on the fourth Wednesday of May, at the place designated by the Representatives to High Court, assembled in Annual Session, and shall be opened at half past nine o'clock in the forenoon.' Presented by Hugh J. Maraghy, Cheverus Court No. 6. Recommended for rejection."

On motion of Brother Daniel Kinally of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15, seconded by Brother Thomas F. Tremble of Americus Court No. 34 it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and its recommendation that the amendment be rejected be adopted.

High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley: "We will now listen to the report of the Chairman of the Committee on Elections."

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS

Sister Helen M. Donoghue of St. Valerian Court No. 111 reported for the Committee to Receive and Count Ballots as follows:

Total number of votes cast	687
Necessary for a choice	344
Sister Mary A. Costello	396
Brother Joseph J. Dobby	4
Brother Peter A. Welsh	286
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High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley: "According to the report of your committee you have elected to the office of High Outside Sentinel, Sister Mary A. Costello, of Notre Dame Court No. 107, and I so declare her elected."

On a motion of Brother Peter A. Welsh of St. Francis Court No. 4, duly seconded, it was voted to make the election of Sister Mary A. Costello of Notre Dame Court No. 107 unanimous.

On motion of Brother Joseph A. Cahalan of St. Peter Court No. 18, duly seconded, it was voted that we resume the regular order of business.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS

The High Chief Ranger called upon Past High Chief Ranger William J. Sullivan of SS. Peter and Paul Court No. 15, Chairman of the Committee on Petitions, for a report. Past High Chief Ranger William J. Sullivan reported for the Committee on Petitions as follows. "A petition has been presented by Sister Elizabeth F. Sweeney of St. Kevin Court No. 253, 'For the passage of legislation or the adoption of an order, which will define the meaning of that part of Section 2, Article II, High Court Constitution, which states that each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one or more Past Chief Rangers as representative, there now being doubt as to whether such provision permits the election of a less number of delegates than the Court may be entitled to according to its numerical total of membership.'

The Committee reports as follows: 'As the substance of the petition involves a legal question, which the Committee feel should have the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, it honorably recommends that the question involved in the petition be referred to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion, said opinion to be spread upon the records and that the petitioner be so notified'." On a motion of Sister Annie M. McGovern of Alma Mater Court No. 114, duly seconded, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and its recommendations adopted.

OPINION OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

"In pursuance of the vote of the Annual Session of the High Court concerning the above petition, I respectfully submit the following opinion in reference thereto. The Constitution is divided into two parts, the first part which deals with the High Court and the second part which deals with the Subordinate Courts. Article 2, mentioned in the above petition, deals with the formation of the High Court. Section 1 of this article describes the High Court as the Supreme Governing Body of the Order and states of whom it shall be composed. Section 2 of this Article provides that 'each Subordinate Court shall be entitled to elect one Past Chief Ranger as Representative to and member of the High Court and one Past Chief Ranger as Alternate, and one additional Past Chief Ranger as Representative and one as Alternate for every fifty members or majority fractional part thereof in excess of the first fifty.' The words 'shall be entitled to elect' in this section, for the purpose of the formation of the High Court, fix the status of representation of the Subordinate Court therein. If that were the only provision in the Constitution in reference to the subject matter, it might be reasonably urged that the number of representatives which a Subordinate Court could elect would be optional with the Court within the numerical limitations of this Section, but the Subordinate Court Constitution deals with the Organization of the Subordinate Courts and in that connection, Section 1 of Article 4 of the Subordinate Court Constitution contains the following language, 'the elective officers of a Subordinate Court shall be a Chief Ranger, Vice Chief Ranger, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Conductor, Junior Conductor, Inside Sentinel, Outside Sentinel, and three Trustees. They shall be elected annually at the last regular meeting in September at which time there shall be elected also the prescribed number of Representatives and Alternates as provided in Section 2 of Article 2, High Court Constitution.' The words 'there shall be elected also the prescribed number of Representatives and Alternates' in my opinion are mandatory and require that each Subordinate Court shall elect the number of Representatives and Alternates to which the Subordinate Court is entitled by virtue of the provision of Section 2 of Article 2, High Court Constitution as above set forth. In this connection, however, I am also of opinion that, while it is necessary for a Subordinate Court to elect the number of Representatives and Alternates to which it is entitled, it may decline to pay the expenses incurred by its Representative or Representatives in representing the Subordinate Court at the Annual Session of the High Court."

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE ORDER

Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60, Chairman of the Committee on State of the Order, reported for the Committee as follows: "The recommendations of the Finance Committee are the only matter that has come before the Committee on State of the Order, and I believe that each of the recommendations should be taken up separately by this Convention.

1st—"That a per capita assessment of seventy-five (75) cents be levied for the year 1922-23." The Committee reports favorably and recommends that this be adopted. On motion of Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas, seconded by Brother Thomas H. Lovett of McDermott Court No. 186 it was voted that the report of the Committee on State of the Order be accepted and its recommendation adopted.

2d—"That the salary of the High Secretary Treasurer be four thousand (4,000) dollars for the year 1922-23." On a motion by Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas, seconded by Brother James W. Scanlon of St. Philip Court No. 184, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and its recommendation adopted. The vote having been doubted, the High Chief Ranger ordered a rising vote by sections. The total vote reported by the Captains of the various sections was 351, divided as follows, 344 in favor of the Committee's report and 7 against the Committee's report. The High Chief Ranger declared the report of the Committee accepted and its recommendation adopted.

3d—"That the High Secretary Treasurer be allowed eight thousand seven hundred fifty ($8750) dollars for clerical hire for the year 1922-23, unuder the supervision of the High Standing Committee." The Committee recommends nine thousand ($9,000) dollars instead of eight thousand seven hundred fifty dollars; an addition of two hundred fifty dollars ($250). On a motion of Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas, seconded by Brother Thomas H. Lovett of McDermott Court No. 186, it was voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and its recommendation adopted.

4th—"That the Finance Committee be empowered to employ an expert accountant, if in their judgment the best interests of the Order require it, under their supervision." On motion of Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas, duly seconded, the report of the Committee was accepted and its recommendations adopted.

On a motion of Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60, duly seconded by Brother Thomas H. Lovett of McDermott Court No. 186, it was voted that the report made by the Committee on State of the Order be accepted and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SECRET WORK

The High Chief Ranger called upon Past High Chief Ranger John W. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Secret Work for a report. At the request of the Chairman of the Committee on Secret Work, the report was read by the High Secretary Treasurer.

"1st—In the opening ceremony that the hymn 'The Cross and the Flag' be substituted for the present 'Ode to Unity'." Proposed by Brother George A. Thomson of John Boyle O'Reilly Court No. 79. Past High Chief Ranger John W. Connelly, reporting for the Committee on Secret Work, recommended that the proposal to change the opening ode be laid over until the next Annual Convention. On motion of Brother Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, seconded by Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60, after being discussed by Brothers John W. Connelly of St. Peter Court No. 18, William H. Thomas of Middlesex Court No. 60, Edward C.

Murphy of Canton Court No. 67, Patrick B. Carr of Bunker Hill Court No. 126, it was voted that the petition to substitute the hymn "The Cross and the Flag' for the present "Ode to Unity" be accepted and adopted.

"2d—In the Initiation ceremonies, Final instructions by the Past Chief Ranger: Re-write the whole instruction eliminating the secret signs of recognizing a Forester." Proposed by Brother George A. Thomson of John Boyle O'Reilly Court No. 79. The Committee on Secret Work recommends that this proposal be referred to the next Annual Meeting. Motion made by Brother Joseph A. Coyle of Leo Court No. 5, duly seconded, that the recommendation of Brother George A. Thomson be adopted, after being discussed by Brothers John W. Connelly of St. Peter Court No. 18, Joseph A. Coyle of Leo Court No. 5, Archille J. Hilbrummer of Holy Trinity Court No. 51, the motion was put and declared lost.

Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1: "In connection with the motion I am about to make I have been requested to read the following communication from Father Scanlan. I make the motion that the Organization pledge its undivided support, both morally and financially to the great work laid out by the Diocesan Charitable Bureaus of the State." Seconded by Brother Thomas H. Lovett of McDermott Court No. 186, and carried.

Boston, Mass., May 15, 1922.

Mr. Joseph J. Forrester,
High Secretary Treasurer,
Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters,
17 Worcester Street,
Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Forrester:—

Your kind invitation extended in the name of the High Standing Committee to attend the 43d Annual Session of the High Court of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters at Pittsfield on Wednesday, May 24th, has just been received, and I hasten to acknowledge with sincere thanks this thought of me. If at all possible, I shall be present at your annual session, knowing as I do from my own delightful experience when president of the Massachusetts State Conference of Charities, how genuinely hospitable are the people of Pittsfield.

In any event, I want to express by letter what I hope to have an opportunity to enlarge upon personally at the Convention, that is, my profound gratitude for the splendid support given to the Catholic Charitable Bureau of the Archdiocese of Boston by the various courts of Foresters throughout the state. Ever since your Convention of 1912, when the delegates assembled in Ford Hall, Boston, went on record unanimously in favor of the truly Christian work of protecting wayward children, we have received annually goodly sums of money from the various courts to maintain this work and the results from the standpoint of children saved from evil lives or reclaimed have been gratifying beyond all expectation. Just one item alone will enable you to realize the extent and importance of what has been accomplished. There is now in practically every court throughout the Commonwealth a representative of Catholic interests who co-operates with the Court in the settlement of difficulties in which Catholic children are involved. I am happy to be able to say that there now exists between the courts and these representatives from the three dioceses of the state the finest sort of understanding, which is of advantage alike to the individuals concerned and to the community at large. This has all resulted in a very appreciable drop yearly in the number of Catholic children who become public charges.

In plain words, the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters is supporting a work whose purpose it is to save children from the stigma of commitment to public correctional institutions.

His Eminence, Cardinal O'Connell, values very much the substantial interest of your order in this and other charities of the Boston Archdiocese, and he is very desirous that I make known to you and through you to the delegates assembled his profound thanks for what has been done and his blessing upon your future efforts.

During the past year the Archdiocese of Boston received from 68 Courts the sum of $1,401.50. If we have any one word to add to what we have already said, it is to express the hope that as soon as possible every court throughout the state will be an annual contributor to the O'Sullivan Lawlor Fund, which makes possible a most charitable work while it perpetuates the memory of the two devoted pioneers who, through foresight and sacrifice, brought into being the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters.

Wishing the convention every success, I am, dear Mr. Forrester,

Very gratefully yours,
Michael J. Scanlan.

Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, addressed the Convention as follows: "I have one more resolution to offer. It is a very unhappy duty because of the recollections that are centered around the person whom it concerns, and it is a sad duty because he has passed into the great beyond. I mention a name that perhaps may not mean much to most of you, and yet it is a name that will live as long as this organization endures. Today, for the first time in thirty-nine years, the delegates assembled here have failed to see submitted a report for the committee on credentials, James J. Lanigan, of Cathedral Court No. 1. For thirty-nine consecutive years, from the annual convention in 1881, at which convention he was elected to the High Standing Committee as High Financial Secretary, up to last May, he came to the convention and served on the committee on credentials as its chairman. He attended the convention prior to that—in other words, for forty-two consecutive years James J. Lanigan, one of the founders of this organization, came here to this convention, laboring earnestly, honestly, industriously and zealously for its welfare—a quiet, dignified, reserved man, a man of power, a man of influence, a man who worked while others talked. He did a great work in the beginning. It has been my pleasure always, and I shall always do it as long as I have the opportunity of speaking, to pay tribute to those men who founded the organization. We can come to Pittsfield in these days and enjoy ourselves to the fullest extent with all the comforts that modern society provides, but forty-two years ago it was not so when James J. Lanigan and his co-workers came up to North Adams to form the second court in the order. In those days there were not the comforts in traveling that are provided for us today. It is inspiring and edifying to read the records of their early deliberations. There were no personalities indulged in—there was but one prevailing thought in their minds—that they might accomplish something for their fellowmen. They wanted to produce an organization that would live, not as the High Court Chaplain said this morning, building better than they knew, because they did not

build better than they knew, but they built as well as they knew how, and how well they built is evidenced by the fact that they have given us an organization that has no superior anywhere in the confines of this Commonwealth, or anywhere within the confines of this great country of ours.

"I want to submit to you for your consideration to place upon the records of this High Court an estimate which is entirely inadequate for that fearless champion of this great organization, one of the men who sacrificed for it, who labored for it down to the very end, who even died in the room in which this organization was born. This organization came into being in the back room of the shop that was kept by James J. Lanigan at the corner of Dedham Street and Harrison Avenue in Boston. On the day of his death he went into that shop in the early morning and opening the door he passed into the back room, as had been his wont for the past forty odd years. He sat down in a chair and quietly passed to his eternal reward—in the very room in which the little band of men came together night after night discussing ways and means in forming this organization. With a deep sense of personal loss of a true friend, I ask that this resolution be spread upon the records of the High Court in memory of him."

On motion of the Corporation Counsel, Hon. Joseph A. Sheehan of Cathedral Court No. 1, duly seconded, it was voted that the resolutions be adopted as read and spread upon the records of this convention.

IN MEMORIAM
JAMES J. LANIGAN
PAST HIGH FINANCIAL SECRETARY

On the twentieth day of August, 1921, Brother James J. Lanigan of Cathedral Court No. 1, was called by God to his eternal reward at the age of 66 years, eleven months and two days.

His passing takes from the Order one of its founders, who with prophetic insight gave to the Catholic people of Massachusetts an organization sublime in purpose and achievement.

Had he lived until September 17th, he would have completed forty-two years of active, devoted, self-sacrificing service as a member and a leader of our great Order.

His judgment was calm, sound and discriminating. His manner was quiet and reserved. He possessed a keen mind, and a splendid sense of justice. His advice and counsel were of immeasurable benefit on all questions affecting the welfare and progress of our Order.

As a citizen he maintained a deep interest in public affairs and was always guided by the highest civic standards inspired by his strong Catholic faith.

In the pursuit of his labors, whether the work of the Order, his business or his civic duties he always displayed the characteristics of a true Christian gentleman. He was beloved by all who knew him.

He passed away in the same quiet and peaceful manner in which he lived in the very room in which the Order came into being.

His life and work as a member of our noble Order stand as an inspiration to each member to follow in his footsteps to the end that the Order in the future may be kept great, as he so materially aided in keeping it great in the past.

Through the infinite goodness of God may perpetual light shine upon him.

Resolved that this memorial be spread upon the records of the High Court.

On motion of High Senior Conductor John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238, duly seconded, it was voted that a vote of thanks be extended to Onota Court for the manner in which they entertained the delegates.

Brother John T. Callan of Leo Court No. 5 made the following motion, "That a vote of thanks be extended to the gentleman, who is not one of our faith, who so generously offered the use of his theatre free to the delegates, and that the High Secretary Treasurer be instructed to forward to Mr. H. Albert Ford a communication expressing our gratitude and sincere appreciation." Unanimously carried.

On motion of High Senior Conductor John J. Collins of John J. Leonard Court No. 238, duly seconded, it was voted that a rising vote of thanks be extended to the Chamber of Commerce of Pittsfield for their aid and assistance in making arrangements for our reception and entertainment, to the citizens of Pittsfield for their kindness in opening their homes and for contributing the use of their automobiles and to his Honor Mayor Michael W. Flynn, speaking for the city of Pittsfield, and Reverend Bernard S. Conaty, speaking for the clergy, for their splendid words of welcome.

On motion of Brother Edward McDermott of St. Lawrence Court No. 61, seconded by Sister Margaret L. Curry of St. Clare Court No. 106, it was voted that the gavel used at this convention be presented to our retiring High Chief Ranger.

PRESENTATION

Brother James E. O'Leary of Worcester Court No. 59, High Chief Ranger elect, in presenting the gavel to the retiring High Chief Ranger, addressed him as follows: "In presenting this gavel to you I am sure I am voicing the sentiments of my Brothers and all the members of the order present who have in their mind the splendid work that you have done for the years that you have been on the Committee and previous to that. We hope that you will keep this as a pleasant memento of this occasion. We wish you long life, and we know that as long as you live you will always have a warm place in your heart for the M. C. O. F."

Retiring High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley: "I want at this time to thank the members of this convention for the very pleasant duties they have performed today in assisting me in keeping their heads and their minds where they ought to be. It has really been a pleasure for me to preside over this convention and a pleasure also to be a member of this High Standing Committee for the past five years. In leaving your Committee I am leaving it as an active past member of the Committee, and always will be. I thank you."

On motion of Brother Frank D. Kodad of Benedict Court No. 39, duly seconded, it was voted that a rising vote of thanks be extended to our retiring High Chief Ranger.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

High Chief Ranger Thomas F. Haley called upon Past High Chief Ranger James H. Benson of John J. Leonard Court No. 238 to install the officers elected for the ensuing year. The installing officer was assisted by Past High Chief Ranger Joseph T. Brennan, Past High Chief Ranger William H. Thomas, and Past High Chief Ranger Hon. William J. Sullivan.

The following officers were then installed:

High Chief Ranger James E. O'Leary, Worcester Court No. 59.

High Vice Chief Ranger John J. Collins, John J. Leonard Court No. 238.

High Secretary Treasurer Joseph J. Forrester, Americus Court No. 34.

High Senior Conductor Dr. Helen I. D. McGillicuddy, St. Clare Conrt No. 106.

High Junior Conductor John H. O'Hara, Jr., Essex Court No. 16.

High Inside Sentinel Patrick J. McArdle, Owen A. Galvin Court No. 173.

High Outside Sentinel Mrs. Mary A. Costello, Notre Dame Court No. 107.

High Medical Examiner Francis J. Hanley, M.D., Union Court No. 89.

High Court Chaplain, Rev. James H. O'Neil, LL.D., Leo Court No. 5.

Following the Installation of Officers High Chief Ranger James E. O'Leary addressed the convention as follows:

"Officers, Brothers and Sisters: I am not unmindful of the position which you have presented me with today. I have in mind the great men that have filled this office since the early days, and I earnestly pray God that I may measure up to them. I ask you to go home to your several courts and say to them that I depend upon them as they depend on their officers for success for the coming year. Let our slogan be: WORK—HARMONY—FIVE THOUSAND at the end of the year! I promise that it will be no fault of the High Standing Committee that you have elected today or of myself if this five thousand does not come through, and I further promise that I will do all I can to harmonize every court in the order. In doing this work I ask your prayers."

High Chief Ranger Brother James E. O'Leary was then presented with a handsome badge of his office and a beautiful floral tribute by representatives from the Courts of Worcester.

The High Secretary Treasurer was then sworn in as follows:

Pittsfield, Mass., May 24, 1922.

Berkshire, SS.

Personally appeared before me Joseph J. Forrester, High Secretary Treasurer of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters, and made oath to faithfully perform the duties of said office of High Secretary Treasurer during the term of his election, and until his successor is installed.

JOSEPH A. SHEEHAN,
Justice of the Peace.

There being no further business, on motion of Past High Chief Ranger William J. Sullivan, duly seconded, it was voted to adjourn.

BLESSING FROM OUR HOLY FATHER, POPE PIUS XI

Our Reverend Chaplain General, Father O'Neil, received the following cablegram in reply to one sent to our Holy Father, Pope Pius XI, as voted by the forty-third Annual Session held in Pittsfield, May 24, 1922.

Received at 40 North St., Pittsfield, Mass.

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ROMA, May 27, 1922.

Rev Jas H O'Neil

Chaplain Pittsfield Mass 493

Holy Father gratefully accepting homage loyalty and devotion offered by members of Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters heartily send to them and their convention His Apostolic Blessing

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